Today's Weather
Rain

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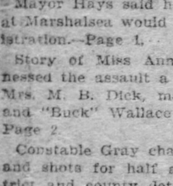
Local bowlers are getting in shape for a very busy season.—Page 9.

THE WEATHER

Rain and colder today, and cloudy tomorrow is the weather bureau forecast for Pittsburgh and vicinity, furnished by the official observer at Washington. Maximum temperature in Pittsburgh yesterday was 78 degrees and the minimum 60 degrees. The sun rose clear at 5:57 and set cloudy at 6:35. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:



Rain.

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.02	62	92	N.W.	Pt. Cldy.
8 p. m.	30.09	72	73	W.	Clear.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for September 12:

	1905	1904		1905	1904
Maximum	78	72	Mean	69	66
Minimum	60	55	Precipitation	.10	T.
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	61		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.69	
Excess for day	7		Excess for day	.61	
Dfcy. since Sept. 1.	44		Exc. since Sept. 1.	.62	
Dfcy. since Jan. 1.	229		Dfcy. since Jan. 1.	1.28	

Official Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Showers and cooler Wednesday; Thursday, partly cloudy; fresh northwest winds.

West Virginia—Showers and cooler Wednesday; Thursday, fair.

Ohio—Showers and cooler Wednesday; Thursday, fair; fresh northwest winds.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

St. Louis	78	Clear	Cincinnati	78	Clear
Cairo	76	Clear	Parkersburg	72	Clear
Memphis	80	Pt.Cldy	Chicago	68	Cloudy
Buffalo	68	Clear	Washington	66	Clear
Duluth	44	Clear	Louisville	76	Cloudy
Omaha	72	Cloudy	Memphis	80	Clear
St. Paul	60	Clear	San Antonio	86	Pt.Cldy
Bismarck	52	Cloudy	Jacksonville	78	Cloudy
Denver	66	Cloudy	New Orleans	80	Pt.Cldy
Salt Lake	62	Cloudy	New York	68	Cloudy

PROBE FINDS A SORE SPOT

Investigators Unearth a Subterfuge on Part of New York Life.

MAKE DUMMY SALE

Stock Transaction Used to Hoodwink the State Superintendent of Insurance.

CATCH UNWILLING WITNESS

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Selling $800,000 in bonds one day and buying them back the next but one, a holiday intervening, in order to keep within statements made in the New York Life Insurance Company's report to the superintendent of insurance, was the sensational disclosure made today at the session of the legislative insurance investigating committee. The fact was drawn from Edmund D. Randolph, treasurer of the New York Life Insurance Company, late in the day after Attorney Charles E. Hughes of counsel to the committee had labored for over an hour to get a direct answer from Mr. Randolph to a direct question.

The inquiry had dragged through a mass of figures during almost the entire day, but it was not until near the hour for ending the session that the sensational feature was brought out.

Earlier in the day Mr. Randolph had handed Mr. Hughes a schedule of syndicate underwritings and transactions of the New York Life for the last 10 years. This statement was to show, and a footnote to the schedule so stated, that the company had participated in no syndicate transactions that had been closed out with a loss. Among these syndicate transactions was the underwriting of the Navigation syndicate, or International Mercantile Marine. Mr. Hughes drew from the witness that there was an aggregate of $4,000,000 the New York Life paid J. P. Morgan & Co. on this joint account.

An Unwilling Witness.

Mr. Hughes then took up a sales item dated December 31, 1903, of $800,000 of International Mercantile stock. Mr. Randolph, replying to Mr. Hughes, said this was made to J. P. Morgan & Co. Mr. Hughes asked:

On January 2, 1904, there is an entry of a purchase of $800,000. From whom did you buy?

J. P. Morgan & Co.

Why did you sell to J. P. Morgan, then buy back from J. P. Morgan & Co. on the next business day?

Because they desired to reduce it.

Yes, but why, then, did you buy it back the next business day?

Here Mr. Randolph began to explain and wandered several times from the subject. He was led back by the lawyer, who seemingly was unable to get a reply. Finally he asked:

Who sold the shares for the New York Life?

Mr. Perkins.

Who bought them again?

An officer of the company.

Who was it?

Mr. Perkins.

Exposed a Subterfuge.

As a matter of fact, there was a report to the superintendent of insurance on December 31, 1903?

Yes.

Then the sole purpose of the transaction was that you might be able to tell the superintendent of insurance you held only $3,200,000 of International Mercantile Marine shares?

The witness hesitated and tried to evade a direct answer, but Mr. Hughes repeated the question, until finally Mr. Randolph said "Yes."

There was a momentary hush, followed by a murmur of suppressed excitement.

Following up the navigation syndicate transactions, Mr. Hughes referred to an item on the schedule of syndicate transactions under date of December 30, 1904, by which $890,000 of bonds were sold to J. S. Morgan & Co. of London for $720,000. Mr. Randolph admitted that this was an outright sale and the loss of $80,000 was charged off to the profit and loss account. Mr. Hughes left the point and took up an association known as "Nylic" with the New York Life Insurance Company. He got from the witness that on April 11, 1904, a sale of $50,000 stock to "Nylic" was made. Of this association Mr. Perkins was a trustee, and "Nylic" bought and sold for the benefit of the company.

The usefulness of the New York Security and Trust Company to the New York Life came out when it was testified that while the insurance company was not taking collateral loans it made the collateral loans.

Mr. Hughes took up the accounts of the money deposited with the New York Security and Trust Company in 1902, which was called account No. 4. It ran from $6,750,000 in May and June up to $12,531,000 in September, and ended at well over $10,000,000 in December.

Witness Cornered Again.

"Now," said Mr. Hughes, "why did you reduce the amount deposited with the New York Security & Trust Company in July, 1904, to $2,500,000 and keep it at that even figure to the end of the year? Your

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REPRIMAND COMING TO LETTER CARRIERS

Mr. Graham Assures Government Traffic in Transfers Has Ceased.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—It is not probable that any of the Allegheny letter carriers will be removed on account of their manipulation of street car transfers. They will probably be given a reprimand by Postmaster Francies, with the injunction that if they are found guilty of a repetition of the offense they will be discharged summarily.

Representative Graham of Allegheny has taken the case up with Acting Postmaster General Hitchcock, who, while not stating that the matter would be dropped, indicated to him that he did not think the offense was of sufficient gravity to warrant dismissals from the service.

Mr. Graham explained that the letter carriers did not make any secret of the fact that they were exchanging transfers, but that they did not think they were violating any of the regulations of the postoffice department. Since their attention had been called to the matter, Mr. Graham assured him that carriers had ceased to use transfers after the time limit had expired, and that the officials of the traction company would substantiate his claim.

Upon the presentation of the case by Representative Graham the entire matter has been taken under advisement by the department and Postmaster Francies has been asked for further information.

TOM LAWSON SPRINGS SENSATION ON STAND

Practically Accuses Plaintiff in Case Against Him of Being Accessory to Murder.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

BOSTON, Sept. 12.—In the supreme court here today Judge Morton denied an injunction sought by Louis N. Rahn of Urique, Mexico, against Thomas W. Lawson of this city, in a suit involving $3,750,000.

Among the witnesses was Mr. Lawson, who caused a stir in the court room by making the allegation that Mr. Rahn was responsible for the death of Supt. Gilbert Johnson, who was fatally stabbed at the Lawson company's mines in Mexico last July. Mr. Lawson qualified his statement by saying he did not charge Rahn with the actual murder, but claimed he stood by and did not lift a hand in Johnson's defense.

While the plaintiff was on the witness stand, the defendant's attorney asked Mr. Lawson if he was not a mining expert. The witness declared he was not, and that he had never seen a mine.

JUMPS INTO SWIMMING TANK WITH CLOTHES ON

Miss Alice Roosevelt Performs This Feat On a Dare Proposed by Her, Says Honolulu Report.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., Sept. 12.—The Examiner prints a report from Honolulu which says the transport Sheridan, from Manila by way of Nagasaki, brings a story that Miss Alice Roosevelt jumped into the swimming tank on the deck of the steamship Manchuria with her clothes on because of a dare she was the first to propose. She was wearing a dainty white silk waist and a cream colored skirt, also of silk. On her feet were slippers of tan. "Congressman Longworth," she remarked, "if you will take a plunge dressed as you are I will follow suit." Longworth was not in gallant humor.

"Well, if you don't dare, I do," Miss Roosevelt said as she tossed her parasol aside and leaped into the tank. Longworth plunged in after her and helped her to a step, where they both climbed out.

Too Much Water for Filtration.

The heavy rains of the last few days have flooded the filtration plant at Aspinwall, and put a stop to all work. The water which has gathered in the filter basins has formed several feet of mud and prevented excavation for the present. The water, which has run down from the hills back of the plant, flooded the stables and the horses had to be removed.

Tooth Extraction Causes Death.

ZANESVILLE, O., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Joseph Schwarten, aged 26, who had been bleeding from a cavity where a molar tooth was extracted, died this afternoon. The physicians could not stop the flow of blood.

MAYOR FEARS A DISGRACE

Hays Threatens to Prohibit Outing at Marshalsea City Home.

APPEAL TO BIGELOW

City's Executive Says He Is Afraid There Might Be Too Much Beer and Whisky.

HARMONY IS ENDANGERED

I am afraid there might be too much beer and whisky there and we might be disgraced. I don't know whether we will have the outing or not. I will think about it. If we do have it, no person but councilmen will be allowed to go.—Mayor Wm. B. Hays.

This is what Mayor Hays told Councilmen Helmold and Walters of the Twentieth ward yesterday, when they went to the city executive to appoint some day early next week for the annual inspection or outing at the city farm at Marshalsea.

This declaration was received with surprise by Messrs. Helmold and Walters, and was also a surprise to Director James W. Clark when it was reported to him, because the mayor is said to have agreed on Monday in the interest of harmony in the city administration and among the Citizens party leaders to interpose no further objection to Director Clark's outing.

Previously the mayor had notified Clark that the outing, which had been held annually for many years, would have to be omitted this year. Thereupon, the Twentieth ward members drafted a resolution fixing a date for the outing and planned to have it passed by council on last Monday. This would have been an open rebuke to the mayor and the latter was prevailed upon before councils met on Monday to withdraw his objections and permit the outing to take place. Director Clark then announced that the outing would take place next week, and this was the understanding until yesterday, when Councilman Helmold, accompanied by Dr. Walters, went to the mayor to make the arrangements and set a date.

The members of the Twentieth ward councilmanic delegation, who are strong supporters of Director Clark, now feel that they were "bunkoed" by the mayor, that he only promised to permit the outing in order to avoid a slap by councils in the passing of the threatened resolution.

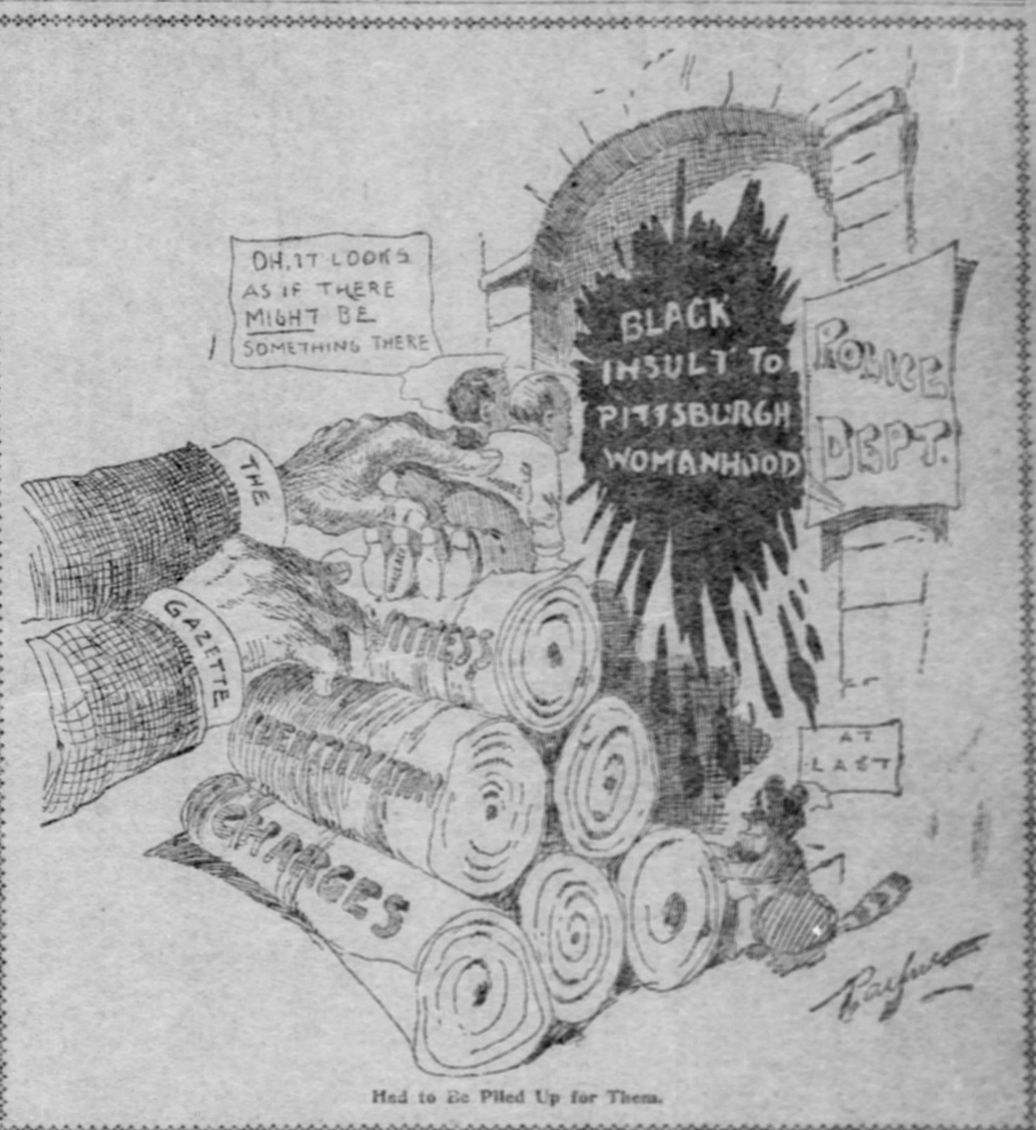
They were arranging last night to call upon Director Bigelow today and to solicit his aid, and through Mr. Bigelow to get the mayor to keep his promise. If the mayor remains obstinate a breach between the administration and the followers of Director Clark may follow. The Twentieth ward councilmen were in an angry mood last night. They thought Director Clark should go ahead and hold the outing regardless of the wishes of the mayor, but expressed the belief that Director Clark would not consent to an open rupture with the mayor. They believe that if the mayor refuses to permit the outing they will be forced to acquiesce, because there will not be another meeting of councils for two weeks, and it will then be too late in the season to hold the inspection. They indignantly deny the aspersion of the mayor on those who attended the outing last year and claim the affair was orderly throughout and there were no signs of intoxication on the part of the visitors.

FALLS TO DEATH WHILE WRITING HIS NAME

COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 12.—While writing his name with a piece of chalk upon the dome of the state capital this morning Warren Scruggs, Jr., aged 15 years, fell from the inside dome to the marble floor 60 feet below, being instantly killed. Young Scruggs had not finished the name when the metal ceiling upon which he was standing gave way, the chalk making a long mark as he fell.

Cruiser Captures an Erie Boat.

PORT DOVER, ONT., Sept. 12.—The American fishing tug Bertha L. Cockill of Erie, Pa., was captured about 20 miles east of Port Burwell today by the Canadian cruiser Vigilant. It is reported that 5,000 pounds of white fish and 100 nets were on the Cockill. The tug was brought to Port Dover and turned over to the Canadian customs authorities.



Had to Be Piled Up for Them.

TOGO'S SHIP AND CREW SINK

The Mikasa Catches Fire, Her Magazine Explodes and 599 Men Are Lost.

ADMIRAL IS NOT ON BOARD

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

TOKYO, Sept. 12.—The navy department announced that the battleship Mikasa has been destroyed by fire and the explosion of her magazine, causing the loss of 599 lives, including men of other ships who went to the rescue. Admiral Togo was not on board when the disaster occurred.

The fire started from an unknown cause at midnight Sunday night, September 10. Before the officers could be rescued the fire reached the aft magazine, which exploded, blowing a hole in the port side of the vessel below the water line and causing the ship to sink. An investigation is now being made to determine the cause of the fire.

The disaster has cast a gloom everywhere. The Mikasa was Togo's flagship, and was endeared to the hearts of the people. The ship was at anchor in Sasebo harbor and she sank in shallow water. It is believed the ship can be repaired.

In the battle of the sea of Japan the Mikasa was the heaviest loser of all the Japanese ships, having 63 killed and wounded. She approached nearer to the Russians than any other battleship.

The Mikasa was also the flagship of Admiral Togo after the great naval battle fought off Port Arthur on August 10, 1904, on which occasion the flagship also suffered the most, but continued in the fighting line. On that occasion the Mikasa had four officers and 29 men killed, six officers and 29 men severely wounded and four officers and 29 men slightly wounded.

HUNGARIAN PREMIER QUITS.

Cabinet Chief Resigns Because Emperor Francis Joseph Discards Universal Suffrage Scheme.

VIENNA, Sept. 12.—Gen. Baron Fejervary, the Hungarian premier, after long interviews with the king-emperor this morning and afternoon, tendered his resignation. It is understood that the resignation will be accepted and that his majesty, within the next few days, will receive Francis Kossuth and other members of the united opposition in the Hungarian parliament with the view of endeavoring to arrange a compromise.

Complete uncertainty, however, prevails regarding the outcome of the crisis. It is understood that the reason the premier resigned was because the king-emperor refused to consent to the carrying out of his scheme for granting of universal suffrage to the Hungarians, which he advanced as one means of bringing about the defeat of the united opposition.

SMALLPOX SCARE IN SOUTHERN BLAIR COUNTY

ALTOONA, Sept. 12.—(Special.)—An epidemic of smallpox in the southern section of this county, near Williamsburg, is reported, and today is was learned that there are 30 fully developed cases. Local physicians are thought to have the disease under control. The state board of health is also aiding.

Mary Hall Is Discharged.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Mary Hall, whose parents live in Pittsburgh, who was mysteriously shot in Riverside drive on August 31, and who has since been in custody on a charge of attempted suicide, was discharged in the Harlem court this afternoon on her promise to leave town with her uncle, Veno L. Crowen of Rosemont, N. J.

LOOK TO OHIO TO START BOOM

Presidential Timber, Including Fairbanks, Shaw, Taft and Root Will Make Speeches.

MR. DICK PREDICTS VICTORY

The Independent Gazette Bureau,
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.

It is probable that all of the 1908 presidential timber will take part in the Ohio state campaign this fall. Vice President Fairbanks, who is an avowed candidate, today accepted the invitation of Senator Dick to participate in the opening of the campaign, which will take place at Bellefontaine September 22. Senator Foraker, who is also mentioned as a probable presidential candidate, will not only be one of the other speakers at the opening meeting, but will take an important part in the entire campaign.

Secretary of the Treasury Shaw, another presidential aspirant, will make some speeches during the campaign, and several other members of the cabinet, including Secretary Taft and Secretary Root, it is said, will be given an opportunity to display their presidential booms in Ohio this fall. Not since the campaign of 1896 was there such an array of Republican leaders and speakers called into Ohio.

"I realize that it will be necessary for all of the Republicans to get busy," said Senator Dick, who was in Washington today, "but Gov. Herrick will be elected by a handsome majority. We are more concerned about the size of the majority than the prospects of his defeat."

YOUNG'S FRIENDS HAVE NO FEAR OF OUTCOME

Commander of Bennington Will Insist His Superiors Are Responsible for the Disaster.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—The friends of Commander Lucien Young of the gunboat Bennington have no apprehension regarding the outcome of the court-martial that will meet at Mare Island Thursday to try him on charges growing out of the disaster in the bay of San Diego. They declare his defense will be a bombshell in the camp of his accusers, and that the charges will react on the bureau officials at Washington.

Commander Young will assert the rotten condition of the Bennington's boilers was well known in Washington, that he had so reported on numerous occasions, with the further warning they were absolutely unsafe; that his repeated warnings were unheeded, and that entire responsibility for the tragedy rests primarily with the naval officials at Washington.

TO USE PITTSBURGH RAILS.

Local Product Will Figure in an Extensive Traction System for Para, a Brazilian City.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Pittsburgh material is to be used in the construction of an extensive electric traction system in and around the city of Para, the commercial center of the Amazon valley, Brazil, the contract having been secured by the London affiliations of J. G. White & Co. of this city.

The present transportation systems aggregate about 40 miles. Later on the various lines will be extended to the different suburbs of Para. The track will be relaid with heavy Pittsburgh-made girder rails. The entire work will entail an expenditure of about $2,500,000.

Pennsylvanians in Paris.

PARIS, Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Among the Americans in Paris today are Daniel C. Herr and Mrs. A. L. Herr of Harrisburg, and Arthur L. Bates of Meadville.

MUCH DISORDER ABOUT ARSENAL

An Evening Spent on Arsenal Wall Discloses Revolting Scenes Among Loungers.

POLICE PASS BY UNMINDFUL

Following the arrest last Thursday night of Private George Kessler, company cook at the Allegheny arsenal, on a charge of disorderly conduct, made on the ground that he had insulted a woman in Butler street, in front of the arsenal, and the accusations of the police officers which followed, declaring that the conduct of soldiers in front of the arsenal had become a general public nuisance, The Gazette made an investigation which developed interesting facts.

Taking his seat on the arsenal wall at 8 o'clock one evening since the arrest of Kessler and the public announcement made by the police, a reporter of The Gazette took a close and unbiased observation of everything that transpired from that hour until 11:30 o'clock, two and one-half hours later. What was said and done within his hearing and sight was also said and done within the knowledge of another man having no connection or previous arrangement with this paper and who stands ready to confirm the facts here set forth.

When the reporter took his seat on the arsenal wall he had as company nine other civilians and six women. One hour later there were five civilians and seven women, at 9:30 o'clock four men and six women were gossiping in an almost affectionate manner on the wall, and at 11:30 o'clock two men and three women were still perched upon the wall.

Loungers Allowed Full Sway.

During all this time nine soldiers passed, singly or in pairs, speaking together quietly, perfectly orderly, and minded only of their own affairs. Five policemen also passed, two of them commanding officers. In no case was any lounger told to "move on," though the soldiers who happened to pass were cool as carefully as to make the fact conspicuous. The soldiers were in no case other than well-behaved, while the loungers were often boisterous, profane and even obscene.

Most of the persons by were women and girls, the majority of whom passed and repassed the arsenal many times. The conduct of many who repassed, indecent and improper terms were indulged in in loud tones by both the civilians and the women. There was every indication that some of the women were passing for the purpose of being "insulted." Between 9 and 10 o'clock four women were approached by civilians and apparently a quick acquaintanceship was formed. The observer was on three separate occasions made the recipient of unmistakable and open advances.

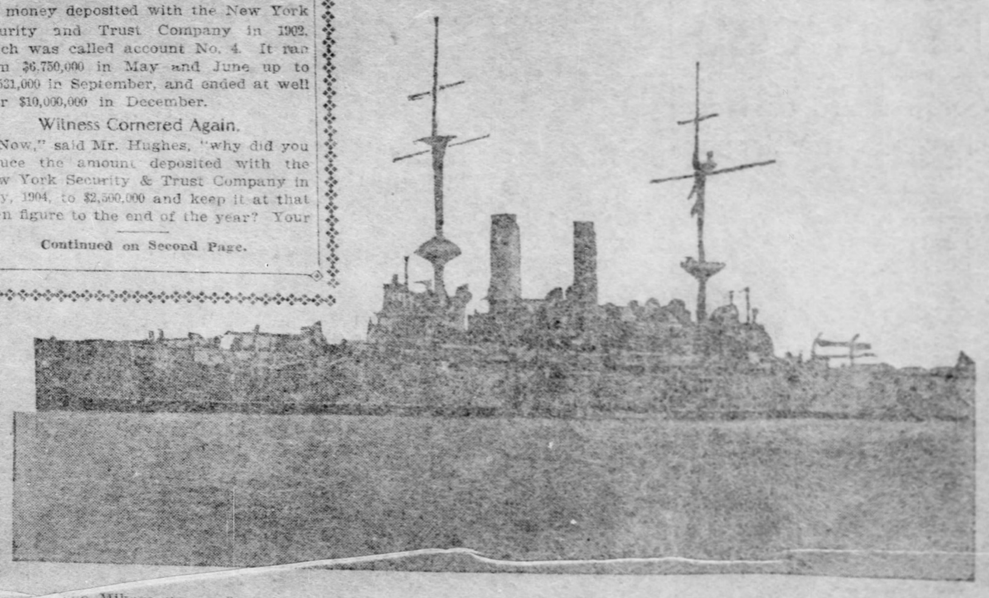
Wife's Efforts to Hold a Husband

At 9:15 o'clock two persons passed—one a civilian, the other a woman. On the opposite or south side of the street, a man and woman were in earnest conversation. The girl on the arsenal side called over: "You can't be my feller no more!" To which the woman on the opposite side replied: "He doesn't need to be nobody's feller. He's got his wife with him." The girl opening the personal-street conversation then began to torment the "wife" and a quarrel ensued. Curses, blasphemy and foul epithets poured rapidly and the cross-fire of interest language could be heard distinctly fully half a square away.

While the row was underway a woman passed who had every bearing of being a real lady, she hurried by, apparently ashamed of the revolting spectacle, while close behind her followed eight civilians of the lowest type, jeering and making cat calls, and uttering a volley of suggestions and obscenity that momentarily drowned the noise of the quarrel.

About this time a sergeant came down

ONE OF MIKADO'S GREAT SHIPS DESTROYED BY AN EXPLOSION



The Mikasa was a first-class battleship of 15,200 tons displacement. She was built in England and was launched in 1902. The battleship was 400 feet long and had a speed of over 18 knots. She was heavily armored and carried four 12-inch guns, 14 6-inch guns, 20 12-pounders and a number of smaller rapid-fire guns.

the street carrying a paper bag which appeared to contain fruit. He was compelled to pass two women and one man who were leaning against the arsenal wall. The women were caressing and bestowing such open affection upon the man that even in the presence of many similar cases they attracted attention.

Insults for the Soldier Boy.

As the corporal passed one of the women made a remark which is scarcely printable and which was apparently directed at the soldier. He continued into the arsenal grounds as if he had not heard the remark, though it was heard distinctly at a far greater distance than he was compelled to listen to it.

As a relief the observer walked up Butler street and, reaching Almond alley, came upon a crowd of loudly swearing characters who monopolized the sidewalk and compelled the observer to take to the middle of the street in order to pass, as did a dozen pedestrians who followed. Returning to the arsenal shortly after, the man and his wife and "lady friend" were still in open revolution. One of the two women in competition for the attention of the one man on the wall had left. A drunkard was entertaining a group of small boys by his antics, and a dozen or so of loungers were seated on the arsenal wall peacefully squirting tobacco juice on the sidewalk.

At no time during the two and one-half hours did a soldier perform an act that by any stretch of the imagination could have been designated as disorderly.

In one or two instances the policeman who passed during the evening showed recognition of several civilians, but at no time did they feel called upon to exercise any authority or take any more action than they did in investigating the murder of Private Michael Ryan.

POLICE END CAREER OF MAN WITH BROKEN NECK

Arrest Individual Who Works Game of Permitting Himself To Be Injured By Street Cars.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 12.—Edward L. Pope, otherwise known as the "man with the broken neck," who has successfully fooled surgeons of this and other cities and defrauded railway companies by fake accidents, was sentenced today to three years' imprisonment on the charge of fraudulently obtaining $300 from the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, and of conspiracy to mulct the same corporation out of an additional $500.

Pope, who disguised himself with a wig, together with John Wilmott and Joe Burns, has imperiled his life by throwing himself from street cars in this city, Brooklyn, New York, Buffalo and Cleveland. The three self-confessed conspirators were arrested in Cleveland a little over a week ago by George H. Silcox, chief of the secret service of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company.

The offense for which Pope was convicted was committed on July 28. Pope attempted to board a Market street car at Eleventh street. He clung to the car step and allowed himself to be dragged for nearly a square, then rolled over into the street.

SAND DREDGER SINKS.

Crew of the Boat Narrowly Escapes Death by the Coffer Dam Breaking.

Through the breaking of about 60 feet of the coffer-dam at No. 5 dam, in the Ohio river at Freedom, about 4:30 o'clock yesterday morning, the Fays, a dredger of the Iron City Sand Company was sunk and her crew had a narrow escape from being drowned by a great wave which rolled over the boat. The dredger was at work just below the coffer-dam when a part of it gave way, allowing the water to flood the boat.

Capt. John Lott, Engineer George Abbott, the fireman and Mrs. Rogers, the cook, were forced to wade through water up to their shoulders in order to reach a rowboat in which they went ashore. The dredger is said to be almost a total loss and it will be broken up where it lies. A sand barge, attached to the dredger, was also sunk, and another barge, which was above the dam, was carried down by the water and broken in two.

A report reached the city at 1 o'clock this morning that a boat had blown up down the river and several people been killed. It is thought the accident to the dredger gave rise to the report.

REMEMBERS OLD SERVANTS.

Woman Who Lost Her Life in Yellowstone Park Makes Bequests to Negroes.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—The will of Miss Fannie A. Weeks, the treasury department clerk, who was recently scalded to death by falling into a geyser in the Yellowstone National park, was probated today.

Miss Weeks was for a long time engaged in the United States Indian service in the west, and a large collection of Indian goods gathered by her is given to the National museum, to be called the "Miss Fannie Weeks collection." Various personal bequests are made, including $50 each to as many of the old family negro servants in Florida as may be found.

MAN GIVES HIS LIFE TO SAVE A GIRL

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—M. M. McPherson, employed on the steamer Granada, met death today while dragging Miss Delia Lennon, of Bay City, Mich., from in front of a swiftly moving freight train. Both were struck by the engine. McPherson was killed almost instantly, and Miss Lennon was seriously injured.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, Sept. 12.

Queenstown—Oceanic, from New York; Friesland, from Philadelphia.

Bremen—Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, from New York, via Plymouth and Cherbourg.

Genoa—Citta di Napoli, from New York for Oran.

Glasgow—Astoria, from New York via Moville.

Antwerp—Finland, from New York via Dover.

Sailed, Sept. 12.

New York—Prinz Adalbert, for Naples and Genoa; Kaiser Wilhelm II., for Bremen.

Christiania—United States, for New York.

Liverpool—Ivernia, Boston.

Passed, Sept. 12.

Lizard—Pennsylvania, from New York for Dover and Hamburg.

Scilly—Marquette, from Philadelphia for Deptford and Antwerp.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

BELASCO—Margaret Anglin in "Zira," 8 p. m.

MIXON—George M. Cohan in "Little Johnny Jones," 2 and 8 p. m.

ALVIN—"The Serio-Comic Governess," 8 p. m.

BIJOU—Harry Clay Blaney in "The Boy Behind the Gun," 2 and 8 p. m.

EMPIRE—"Wedded and Parted," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—Reilly and Woods' Big Show, 2 and 8 p. m.

GAYETY—Harry Bryant's Extravaganza company, 2 and 8 p. m.

EXPOSITION—Seventeenth season Western Pennsylvania Exposition society. Concerts by Sousa's band, 2, 4, 7:30 and 9:30 p. m.

LUNA PARK—Craig street, near Great Southern avenue, open 10 a. m. to midnight. Concerts afternoon and evening by the Kilties band. Mystic Shrine night tonight.

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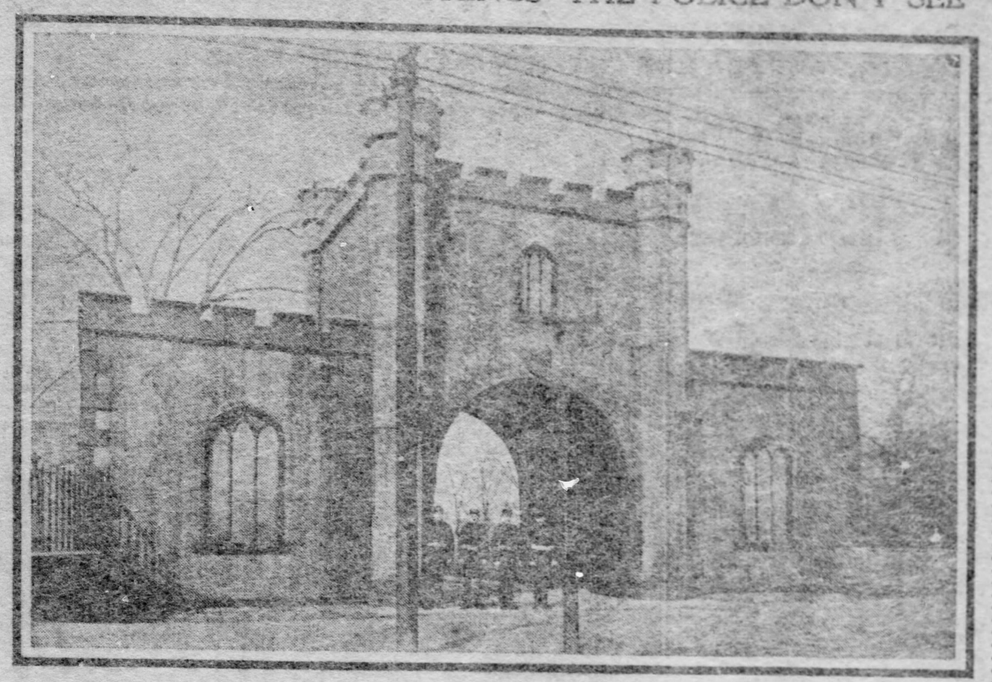
GOOD VIEWPOINT OF THINGS THE POLICE DON'T SEE



It was right within this grim archway marking the main entrance to Uncle Sam's ancient citadel in Butler street, Lawrenceville, that Private George Kessler, who, being sick in quarters, was not permitted to go outside the government's reservation, was arrested on Thursday night, September 7, by an officious Pittsburgh policeman, who charged that Kessler had "insulted" a woman passing along the sidewalk. The following day Lieut. Drury demanded of the police officials the release of this soldier and the release was promptly made. Then following this came a bombastic utterance from the police as to what would be done hereafter with Uncle Sam's soldiers who offered "insults."

And yet outside the old gateway and on the sidewalk along the iron picket-topped stone wall marking the government's reservation, on any pleasant evening can be found a loud-mouthed crowd of loungers of both sexes, whose words and actions are little short of shocking. Insults are offered freely by both men and women to those of the opposite sex. And the police stroll up and down, oblivious to it all, keeping an eye open only for some act on the part of the soldiers that shall warrant another exhibition of officiousness.

NOT ALL HIS CHICKENS AT ONE SWOOP

Gesticulating wildly with both hands, the while he kept up an incessant stream of talk in mixed German and broken English, a short, stout, middle-aged German stood in front of a downtown department store yesterday afternoon, the center of an interested crowd and a disgusted family.

The cause of his excitement was not easily learned from his excited speech, but gradually he calmed down and stated that he objected to his entire family, which consisted of his wife and six children, from entering the building at the same time. He explained that he always moved his family in sections, never having the entire bunch on the same car, and never permitting all of them to enter any public building at one time, for he wished to have some one bearing his name remain on this earth in the event of a car being wrecked or a building collapsing.

Matters were finally adjusted by his sending his wife with three of the children down to the market, while he and the other three entered the store.

PROBE FINDS SORE SPOT

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balance at the beginning of 1904 was $8,000,000."

Mr. Randolph professed ignorance, the impossibility of remembering every transaction, and interrupted again and again.

Mr. Hughes begged the witness to refrain from "general conversation" and repeated the question. Mr. Rudolph finally said:

There was a question at this time whether our relations would continue with the company. The consolidation of the New York Security and Trust Company was taking place at this time.

Now, prior to the end of 1904, the trustees of the New York Security and Trust Company held 5,005 shares, that is a majority of the 10,000 shares.

Yes.

Well, in March, 1904, when the total stock of the company was increased to 30,000 shares, were the holdings of the trustees increased?

No.

Pressure Brings Answer.

Witness was then led through the change of the name of the trust company and admitted the three accounts with the old company were closed and four opened with the new one. When the money was withdrawn from the New York Security & Trust Company it was deposited with the First National Bank. This admission was elicted from the witness after much pressure.

In reply as to interest paid by the various banks where the insurance company had deposited, Mr. Randolph said all of the banks paid 2 per cent except the Bank of Montreal which paid 2½ per cent.

In discussing the syndicate to handle the New Orleans railroad securities, which transaction was closed out in 1904, Mr. Randolph referred to a receiver being appointed, which was unforseen by the New York Life when the securities were taken up. Witness also said that some parties the company had expected to join in handling the securities had failed to do so, but when asked the name refused to give them.

This closed the inquiry, but Assemblyman Rogers, who was in the chair, before adjourning the sitting said:

"Some of the committee are not satisfied with your refusing to give the names of those who participated in the joint profit deals."

Doesn't Want Publicity.

"In answer to that I would say," answered Mr. Randolph, "that it is an entirely confidential matter; there was no intimation on the part of anybody of bad faith; we had expectations which were not realized and I do not think it necessary to expose people who did not actually participate in the transaction."

Here Mr. Rogers read from a paper quoting from the officials of the New York Life Insurance Company a promise to give to the committee the freest access to information as to all its affairs, and he asked the witness if that promise meant anything.

Mr. Randolph replied that he thought such a matter ought not to go in the newspapers.

After adjournment Mr. Hughes said the examination of Mr. Randolph probably would be resumed tomorrow.

Mr. Hughes could not say when George W. Perkins of J. P. Morgan & Co., would be called. "Mr. Perkins is under subpoena," said Mr. Hughes, "and has signified his readiness to attend the hearing at any time. He is in touch with a number of subjects of interest to us, and when he will be called will depend upon the progress with other witnesses.

Glanders Attacks Horses.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—A contagious disease, glanders, has broken out among the horses here, and tonight 17 out of the stable of 25 horses owned by R. D. Hunter Livery Company were condemned to be shot by Dr. J. C. McNeil, deputy state veterinary surgeon of Pittsburgh. There is no known cure for the malady, and to prevent its spread the affected animals must be killed.

Promoters to Visit Pittsburgh.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 12.—A party of independent telephone promoters and bankers from St. Louis, Kansas City, Indianapolis, Cleveland and other western points spent the day here and left tonight for Pittsburgh. It is understood they are interested in a plan to organize a national independent telephone company.

Get it for "Her"

BARON KOMURA'S FAMILY REPORTED ASSASSINATED

Japanese Envoy in Too Weak and Nervous Condition to Be Told of Rumor, but It Is Discredited.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ROME, Sept. 12.—The Tribuna today published a rumor from Tientsin that the family of Baron Komura, the Japanese plenipotentiary now in New York city, had been assassinated.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Baron Komura, who is ill at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, was somewhat improved today. He was still confined to his bed and members of his suite said he was too weakened and nervous to be shown the report from Rome that his family had been assassinated. Mr. Sato, official spokesman of the Japanese party, said that no dispatches had been received by the peace plenipotentiary which could furnish any ground for believing the reported misfortune.

Notwithstanding his weakened condition, the baron is determined to leave New York on Thursday to begin his homeward trip as originally planned.

PLANS FOR HOMESTEAD PARK PROVIDED BY HENRY C. FRICK

W. H. Smith, representing H. C. Frick and the Homestead council, yesterday afternoon completed plans for the completion of Homestead park, which Mr. Frick has been improving for a number of years, the work so far consisting of filling the whole square to a depth of over 30 feet. In the center will be a magnificent fountain of three basins 30 feet in diameter, with five stone figures, the highest being 17 feet. Walks will be laid out shaded by trees.

BANK STOCKHOLDERS FAVOR ENLARGING ITS CAPITAL

The stockholders of the Second National bank unanimously approved at the meeting yesterday the proposition to treble the bank's capital stock by the plan described in The Gazette yesterday. As soon, therefore, as the plan can be worked out, the new certificates will be issued, the bank's capital standing then at $1,800,000, instead of the present $600,000. The $1,200,00 will be charged off of the surplus account and added to the capital account. This leaves still $2,064,946 surplus and undivided profits.

GREECE AND ROUMANIA HAVE PARTED COMPANY

BUCHAREST, ROUMANIA, Sept. 12.—The relations between the governments of Greece and Roumania have become decidedly strained. M. Tombazis, the Greek minister here, has left the country on unlimited leave of absence, after receiving a note from the Roumanian government, which immediately sent orders to the Roumanian minister to Greece, M. Chica, to leave Athens.

RUSSIAN ENVOYS SAIL FOR HOME

Before Leaving, M. Witte Promises Emancipation for Jews in Czar's Domains.

RECEIVES IRISH DELEGATION

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The Russian commissioners who successfully concluded a treaty of peace with the envoys of Japan at Portsmouth have started on the return to St. Petersburg. The party, headed by Sergius Witte, the head Russian plenipotentiary, sailed on the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II. this afternoon.

Before leaving the city, M. Witte and Baron Rosen made a farewell call upon the Japanese diplomats, who expect to leave for home later in the week. Baron Komura was unable to see the Russians because of his illness, but through Minister Takahira, he sent them a cordial message of farewell. Mr. Takahira and other members of the Japanese party entertained the Russians for half an hour.

In addition to M. Witte, the party sailing on the Kaiser Wilhelm II. included Gregory Wilenkin, financial agent of the Russian government to the United States.

Shortly before the ship sailed, Maj. Lynch, of the United Societies of New York, and 40 members of the Irish club of New York, were received by M. Witte. Each member of the Irish club presented to the peace envoys tiny Russian, American and Irish flags. Maj. Lynch said to M. Witte:

"We take this opportunity of thanking a country which has been a friend of our adopted country in time of need."

When the bugle sounded for all visitors to go ashore, M. Witte and Baron Rosen embraced and kissed each other good-by. As the ship drew out into the stream the Irish delegation and others on the deck cheered lustily. M. Witte lifted his hat in response.

Before M. Witte left his hotel for the steamer today he had a conference with Isaac N. Seligman and Oscar Straus of this city, and Adolph Kraus of Chicago. Mr. Seligman said after the conference:

"M. Witte allowed us to foresee the emancipation of the Jews in Russia, and their participation in the government of the empire in the same degree and proportion that other Russian subjects are allowed to participate.

"M. Witte made no official pledges engaging his government; he spoke for himself as an individual, but it is well known that while at present he is not in power, he soon will be. With him at the helm, the Jews in Russia will again enjoy civic and national recognition. We have M. Witte's word for it that, as far as he himself may be able, everything will be done to give to the Jews of Russia their full constitutional rights. Discrimination prejudicial to them, the injustice of which he admits freely, will be ended and they will be placed on an equal footing with the rest of the emperor's subjects."

Mr. Seligman was asked if the subject of a loan to Russia, to be made by a syndicate of Jewish financiers had been broached. He replied in the negative.

A delegation from the Armenian colonial council of the United States, of which Archbishop H. Saraijian is president, called upon M. Witte today at his hotel and presented an address on behalf of the Armenians, thanking him for his interest in the welfare of their countrymen in Russia and congratulating him and his colleague, Baron Rosen, on the happy conclusion of the peace conference. In the address the hope was expressed that M. Witte's sympathy and influence would aid in the speedy pacification of the Caucasus. M. Witte expressed his pleasure at the receipt of the memorial and sent his thanks to the Armenians of this country.

ADVISES PROSECUTION OF THE CITY OFFICIALS

Secretary Lobingier of Pittsburgh Board of Trade Says the Adoption of Reynolds Fender Does Not Comply With Law.

"When the next child is killed by a street car its relatives should bring charges of manslaughter against the city and street railway officials. That would bring them to time. The approval of the Reynolds fender by Director Moore is not complying with the fender ordinance, and the use of this fender would be a continued violation of the ordinance."

Chauncey Lobingier, secretary of the Pittsburgh board of trade and an attorney, made this statement last night. In his official connection with the Pittsburgh board of trade Mr. Lobingier has been prominent in the fender agitation.

"Employes of railroad companies are frequently held responsible by the courts and prosecuted for criminal negligence, when by reason of their negligence a life is lost," said Mr. Lobingier. "It is certainly negligence on the part of the city officials and the traction company that the street cars have not been equipped with life-saving guards, because the ordinance was enacted years ago.

"The selection of the Reynolds fender is not complying with the ordinance, because the Reynolds fender, as shown by the test, is worthless and has never been used before. The ordinance requires a fender that will save life, and is one of modern type. Neither of these essentials can be claimed for the Reynolds fender.

"I really believe that even the Reynolds fender will not be placed on the cars unless the company is forced to do it. I talked with Benjamin Lev, the inventor of the Eclipse or Lev fender, yesterday before he left the city, and he intimated that he might enjoin Director Moore and the street car company from placing the Reynolds fenders on the cars, basing his objections on the points I have mentioned, that the Reynolds fender is not of a modern pattern, and has never saved life. I don't know whether Mr. Lev will bring suit or not, but I hardly believe he would gain anything by so doing.

"Mr. Lev agreed to furnish 1,000 fenders within four months if given the order, and four months is a reasonable allowance for the Pittsburgh Railways Company to have its cars all equipped.

"A person struck by the Reynolds fender is very liable to have his skull fractured by contact with the end of the car, because there is nothing above the bumper of the car to shield him. If he should escape injury in this manner, he would probably be thrown or dragged by the fender, as there are only 18 or 20 inches of space on the end of the fender to carry a person."

KILGALLON CASE UP THIS MORNING

Police Officials Forced to Admit That Case Against Him Looks Bad.

THE DALEY STORY A STUNNER

When Policeman Kilgallon appears before the police trial board this morning to answer to the charge of assaulting Mrs. M. B. Dick on August 22, he will be confronted by Miss Anna Daley, the witness to the assault who was found by The Gazette. The hearing has been set for 9 o'clock and Policeman Kilgallon has been ordered to appear in uniform.

"Buck" Wallace, the superintendent of police, and Director Moore were surprised when they read Miss Daley's story of the assault as printed in The Gazette yesterday. Both these officials thought it impossible to find a witness and that the charge against Kilgallon, which reflected so on the "dignity of the force," would not be proven.

After reading The Gazette's disclosure of the assault, Wallace said: "It looks bad for Kilgallon. If Miss Daley saw a policeman assault Mrs. Dick it will not be necessary for her to identify him."

Director Moore said: "If Miss Daley tells her story before the police board we will do the rest with Kilgallon."

Wallace has maintained all along that Mrs. Dick was not telling the truth when she said Policeman Kilgallon assaulted her. Instead of detailing some one to make a practical investigation of the charge against Kilgallon, Wallace was content to sit in his office and judge the case from the statements of the complainant and the officer. Now, after The Gazette has made an investigation of the assault and has found a witness to the affair, Wallace has been about convinced of the unfaithfulness of one of his men and he is apparently annoyed thereby.

All doubt as to the fact of an assault having been committed on Mrs. Dick by a policeman was dispelled by the story Miss Daley told to The Gazette. When she testifies before the police trial board this morning it is likely that something will drop. Mrs. Dick has also made information against Kilgallon, charging assault and battery, before Alderman Toole and a hearing in that case has been set for next Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Mrs. Dick says that regardless of the result of the hearing before the police trial board today, she will press her charges against Kilgallon before the alderman.

The day Policeman Kilgallon called at the office of The Gazette to state his exceptions to the story of the assault as told by Mrs. Dick, he introduced himself as "Kisser' Kilgallon" and laughed heartily over his own alliteration. During his talk at the city desk he stated that he was a married man and had no occasion to wander away from his own fireside to bestow his kisses on other women.

PREPARING FOR STRIKE OF FREIGHT HANDLERS

Railroads Centering In Chicago Refuse Demands of Union—Trouble Is Looked For.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—Demands of the members of the Freight Handlers' union of Chicago, for an increase of 10 per cent in wages or an arbitration of their demands and the demand for a conference were refused today. The general managers of the 22 railroads centering in Chicago notified President P. J. Flannery of the union, that negotiations were ended. The news of the refusal of the general managers to grant the increase in wages, arbitrate their dispute and the declination to hold a conference was received angrily by the men. They immediately arranged to call a series of mass meetings to consider the action of the roads.

The railroad companies are going ahead with preparations for a strike. The preparations are precautionary. Cots are being hauled to the freight houses and hundreds of men have been tentatively hired to take the place of the union men should they vote to strike.

Chief of Police Collins has been communicated with and he will furnish the freight houses with police protection. One of the general managers at the meeting said: "While it looks like trouble, we are confident that the men do not want to strike."

FIND POT OF GOLD WHICH SUDDENLY DISAPPEARS

Negro Claims to Have Found An Enormous Quantity of Old Coins.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Sept. 12.—An iron pot containing $6,000 in gold coin, the newest of which was 115 years old, was found on the farm of James Rivers, near Chesterfield, S. C., by Tyler Teel, a white laborer, and Will Edwards, a negro, while engaged recently in digging a ditch, according to the story told today by Edwards.

The pot was carried to a point two miles away and buried near the bank of a stream. When, two days later, the finders went after the pot it had mysteriously disappeared. The negro charges that the white man has appropriated the money and has hidden it from him, while Teel declares the whole story is all a joke and no pot was unearthed. Edwards sticks to his story.

Detectives employed by the negro, and who have since been working on the case, say they have secured evidence confirming the discovery of the hidden wealth, but thus far no trace of the gold has been found.

MISS MACBETH WEDS.

Pittsburgh Girl Becomes Bride of Dr. Bogges, Also of This City, at Parents' Summer Home.

BETHLEHEM, N. H., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—"Glamis," the beautiful new country home at Bethlehem of J. T. Macbeth, of Pittsburgh, was the scene this afternoon of one of the prettiest and quite the smartest wedding of the season, that of Miss Macbeth to Dr. Bogges of Pittsburgh.

The bride wore a gown of white satin with rare old lace garniture. A special car brought many guests. Prominent among the wedding party were the J. J. Glessners of Chicago, who occupy the estate, "The Rocks," on the Littleton road. Mr. Glessner is Mrs. Macbeth's brother. The young couple departed for New York tonight on the wedding journey.

DES MOINES LETS DOWN PROHIBITION BARS

DES MOINES, IA., Sept. 12.—The Des Moines city council today declared that a petition presented by liquor interests for the right to manufacture beer and other alcoholics contained the necessary majority of voters' signatures, and raised the bar to the establishment of breweries and distilleries which has existed since the enactment of the state prohibition law years ago. At least one new brewery will be built at once. The Anti-Saloon league will take the fight into the courts.

Irish Welcome Redmond.

BOSTON, Sept. 12.—Several hundred Irish-Americans tonight greeted William F. Redmond, Nationalist member of parliament for the eastern division of Clare, upon his arrival at the South Terminal station here today. A number from County Clare, former constituents of Mr. Redmond, lifted him to their shoulders and conveyed him to his carriage.

Strike Large Oil Flow.

BUTLER, PA., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—The Guilford Oil Company, which recently purchased the holdings of Toomey, Watson & Co. on the Nixon and other farms in Penn township, last night drilled in their No. 4 Nixon, which has been posing as a mystery for several days, and have a well good for 50 or 60 barrels a day.

CLAIMS MINER IS A CRIMINAL

Severe Arraignments Made by Attorneys In Taggart Divorce Case.

SMYSER CLOSES HIS ARGUMENT

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WOOSTER, O., Sept. 12.—Both Capt. Taggart and his accused wife listened to blistering arraignments today during the arguments which are bringing the divorce trial to a close.

Attorney Smyser took up his argument where he had dropped it Monday evening, and in speaking of the trouble at Fort Leavenworth when Capt. Taggart is alleged to have beaten and kicked his wife, he said:

Mind you, in Manila he didn't slap Capt. Bash, and at Fort Leavenworth he didn't knock up Fortescue. He vented all his rage and spite on this little woman. If ever a lie was justifiable—and it was a lie and it was justifiable—it was when that mother went on the stand and said that her boy did not drink. It was justifiable because that mother's life, hope and love are wrapped up in that son.

Referring to the testimony of the colored servant Emma, he said:

It won't do for you gentlemen to call this Emma a nigger and a Pat. She has a black skin, it is true, but she has a white heart and the conscience of a white woman.

Smyser reviewed the letters written by the captain to his wife while the former was confined in the hospital, and then dwelt on the testimony of the detective, Dow:

Billy Taggart is no fool, but that man Dow is an infernal liar. Your honor, it would be a miscarriage of justice to even think of awarding this man a verdict of divorce. I know that your honor is not going to be influenced by this talk that we are to driven out of a petition. That is nonsense, gammon and rot.

Smyser closed his argument with an eloquent plea that the children be given to Mrs. Taggart. Attorney Sterling began:

If mating were oratory, if bitterness were logic, if false assertions were facts, if mere were arguments—I would not argue this case, but would submit what has gone before by the counsel for the defendant and be content. This is a matter that affects the home above the army, and if the home be broken up the nation must fall.

Taking up the last letter written by Capt. Taggart to his wife and the latter's testimony that she did not remember receiving it, he said:

"When she told me that on the stand she committed perjury enough to sink her."

Referring to Smyser's attack on the press reports of the trial, Sterling said:

The press of this country is always fair and often leans a little to the woman's side. The papers will stand by a woman if she is in distress, and if they take sides against a woman, that woman must have sunk low indeed. I didn't know, your honor, that public sentiment in favor of the plaintiff was so universal as to fill the columns of every newspaper in the country with the exception of one, as stated by Judge Smyser. The press is a mirror of public sentiment and I do not think they would permit themselves to be biased when they send the finest, most energetic and brainiest young men of the country here to report this case.

Sterling then recited the incidents of Taggart's life from boyhood to the time he was graduated from West Point and entered the army. In speaking of Mrs. Taggart being the daughter of John Manville, he said:

There must have been something wrong in that family, or that father would never have given up those children. There must be a story hidden in Mrs. Taggart's breast, for she would not tell on the witness stand when and where her mother died. Not one bit of evidence has been introduced here to show that she ever did a day's work in her whole life, and she never worked a meal. I don't want the idea to go out from this courtroom that this trial is an indictment of the American army. This case is an exception to the rule, for there are many men in the army who compare favorable with men in the other walks of life.

Attorney Sterling referred at great length to the actions of the captain with Augustina, the Filipino woman, at Manila. He also attacked Mrs. Taggart in the strongest terms possible. Sterling will resume in the morning, and it is expected that the arguments will be finished tomorrow.

SAW NO PROSPECTS FOR LAST SIGNAL VICTORY

Superior Position of the Russian Army May Have Influenced Mikado to Make Concessions.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

LONDON, Sept. 12.—The correspondent of the Standard at Shanghai, sends the following:

"While the peace conference was sitting at Portsmouth the emperor of Japan, perplexed by contradictory reports from the front and Gen. Linevitch's constant frustration of Japanese attempts to outflank him, sent Field Marshal Yamagata and Gen. Murata to inspect the positions at the front and to report on the chances of crushing the Russian army.

"Field Marshal Yamagata spent 12 days with Field Marshal Oyama and ultimately reported unfavorably on the chances of a signal victory. It is suggested this may have influenced the emperor in agreeing to the terms of the Portsmouth treaty."

PURE FOOD AGENTS WILL START EXTENSIVE CRUSADE

Sellers of adulterated foods in Allegheny county will be prosecuted by the wholesale by the state dairy and food commission, which is preparing to begin a vigorous crusade in this section. Special Agents W. A. Hutchinson, W. M. Miller and James McGregor are now in Pittsburgh, and James Foust, assistant to Dr. H. H. Warren, head of the commission, will arrive here Monday. Agent Hutchinson stated that dealers who have once been convicted of selling impure foods will be sent to jail if convicted on the same charge again. Hutchinson stated that H. L. Bamhart, the former agent in this county, who is now in Philadelphia, was not removed for political reasons.

Fighter Gets Jaw Broken.

Frank Salvadora, an Italian aged 18, is in St. John's General hospital with a broken jaw, the result of a blow he got in a fight last night at Brighton road and Woods run avenue. William Floordorry, Louis Hart and Mike Husep, three of a crowd that were in the melee, are locked up charged with disorderly conduct. In the thick of the battle Salvadora was hit with a brick, and besides having his jaw broken lost most of his teeth.

Death of Well-Known Officer.

ROCHESTER, PA., Sept. 12.—(Special.) Lieut. William E. Stoops of the Pennsylvania company's special police, died at his home here, today, from pulmonary trouble. He was 49 years of age and was twice married.

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NOTE FROM GIRL STARTS TROUBLE

Constable Chases a Flying Negro All Over the Hill District Before Capture.

PENELOPE AND JOHN QUARREL

"Don't come round no more."

This message in a note from Penelope H. Schafron, colored, to John Gordon, colored, and a good runner, was the cause of considerable excitement in the Wylie avenue district last evening, making Constable John Gray of Alderman Levy's office run a good sprint for the money.

John, who is a tall, angular negro, employed as a butler in a Wilkinsburg family, has been for some time calling on Penelope, and paying her marked attentions; but a coldness sprang up between them as the result of a quarrel, and the girl wrote a note to John not to call again at her home, 1315 Pasture street.

John thereupon became incensed and in conversation with a minister friend told all the things that would happen to Penelope, the faithless, and her family, if she gave him the mitten. The minister told this to Penelope and yesterday she went before Alderman Levy and asked to have John placed under a bond to keep the peace.

Constable Gray accompanied Penelope from the alderman's office to her home and on the way they met John, at Wylie avenue and Logan street. As soon as John found out what was coming off, as the constable read the warrant to him, he dashed into a saloon, and after him dashed Constable Gray. Out the side door went John. Out the side door went Constable Gray. Into Logan street, then back to Wylie, through streets and alleys back to Logan and then to Fifth avenue. John ran, and the constable followed. John got a street car first, at Logan and Fifth, and the motorman, following the fixed custom of Pittsburgh Railways Company motormen, did not await the coming of the constable, who was running so hard to catch the car.

Constable Gray succeeded, however, in boarding the next car and persuaded the motorman, probably a new man in the service, to chase the car ahead. By vigorous ringing of the bell, the attention of the conductor of the car ahead was attracted, but so was John's attention, and John jumped at Fifth and Sixth avenues. He ran back down Sixth avenue to Old avenue, Gray in hot pursuit.

At various times in the pursuit Gray had taken four shots at him, but they either struck his head or missed him entirely, so that no damage was done. Here the constable fired another shot and County Detective John Sonnefeld stepped from the morgue and took John into custody. At the door of the morgue he kept John until Constable Gray went to the alderman's office and secured a commitment. Then the flying negro was taken to jail.

FOUR VIOLENT DEATHS.

Cripple Receives Fatal Shock by Falling from His Wheel Chair.

Robert F. Decker, aged five, died yesterday at the home of his parents, 2110 East Tenth street, McKeesport, from injuries received in a fall from a push carriage last Friday. The boy was a cripple and was being wheeled about by his sister. The shock from the fall caused his death.

Mrs. Nancy Craig, aged 56, of Tarentum, died at the West Penn hospital at 7 o'clock last night from burns received August 25 by an explosion of a gasoline stove. Her clothing caught fire, burning her badly about the body.

F. Ottone, an Italian, was killed on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at Glenwood yesterday by falling off a car.

John Frederick, employed at Hays Island dam as a lock tender, was drowned at that place yesterday. He was assisting in lowering the wickets and fell overboard. He was 35 years old and lived at McKeesport.

SEIZE FIVE THOUSAND RIFLES.

Customs Authorities in Finland Find Them in Hands of People on Coast of Gulf of Bothnia.

HELSINGSFORS, FINLAND, Sept. 12.—The customs authorities today seized 5,000 rifles in the possession of people in the neighborhood of Jakobstad on the Gulf of Bothnia, which were believed to be from the unnamed steamer sunk by her crew Sunday.

Further details of Sunday's affair show that when the customs officers boarded the steamer they were received by 20 of the crew, armed with revolvers. The chief customs officer was permitted to visit the cabin where, after negotiations lasting an hour, he was told he and his fellow officers had the alternative of leaving the ship or being blown up with her.

MARSHALL COMING BACK.

Wife of Fugitive Says Her Husband Can Clear Up Things Satisfactorily.

After fighting the granting of extradition papers for nine days in the New York courts, Arthur G. Marshall, who, with Frank D. Dunbar, is charged with embezzlement and conspiracy in the alleged insurance frauds in this city, has decided to return to Pittsburgh. Detective Rice has gone to New York to bring Marshall back.

A telegram was received by The Gazette from Mrs. A. G. Marshall yesterday in which she says her husband has decided to return to Pittsburgh and that he is certain he can straighten things out satisfactorily.

Churches Claim Damages.

TOKYO, Sept. 12.—It is reported that the owners of the Catholic church at Honjo and a Protestant church, believed to be the German, have lodged claims for damages through their respective ministers.

ETNA RESENTS HIGHER FIRE INSURANCE RATES

Letter from Fire Marshal McGill Gives Full Warning of What Will Happen Unless an Experienced Fire Department Is Maintained.

"An inexperienced fire department is practically useless for a long time, and if your borough is going to be without a fire company, it will fall to my lot to withdraw the present insurance rates of Etna and rerate the borough as being without protection from fire, which, of course, means much higher rates of insurance, and many of the best companies will not write where there is no protection from fire."

This is a copy of the letter from Fire Marshal W. D. McGill of Allegheny county to President W. B. Kroesen of Etna council, which the people of Etna have been eager to hear since the trouble started between council and the fire company. The letter was read yesterday at a meeting of the fire company by Chief Andrews.

Etna council has recognized the Citizens' hose company of West Etna, but this does not amount to anything, because the hose company is as yet inexperienced, never having been at a fire, and, secondly, because its members are in sympathy with the Etna volunteer fire company.

The threat of increased insurance rates has aroused citizens throughout the borough and much indignation is expressed. The standing of the volunteer fire company is expected to be shown tonight, when the company has its last public appearance as a fire department in a parade through the streets of the borough to Undercliff park, where they have been invited to a clambake and corn roasta to be given by the Citizens' hose company. Red light and fireworks will be set off along the route to emphasize the good will of the business men toward the fire company.

MASKED MAN ATTACKS MRS. A. C. MORELL

Beautiful Daughter of E. C. Converse Probably Disfigured for Life by Bullet Wound.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

GREENWICH, CONN., Sept. 12.—Mrs. Antoinette C. Morell, the beautiful daughter of E. C. Converse, president of the Liberty National bank and one of the millionaire officers and stockholders of the United States Steel Corporation, was disfigured for life early today, at her summer residence here by a masked intruder, presumably a burglar, who fired two shots from a revolver at her point-blank. One of the bullets fractured Mrs. Morell's cheek bone and lower jaw, and came within an inch of inflicting a fatal wound.

Mrs. Morell, who is 25 years old, is separated from her husband, Walter C. Morell, and divorce proceedings are now pending. John Brown was arrested at the railroad station in Greenwich an hour after the shooting, and is now being held on suspicion.

As quantities of silverware were apparently passed by unnoticed by the unknown intruder, the theory that burglary was the motive lacks full substantiation. In the opinion of Sheriff Ritch, who placed Brown under arrest, the object may have been the kidnaping of Mrs. Morell's infant child.

It was to the room occupied by Mrs. Morell's baby and her niece that the intruder seemingly first made his way. The baby had shown signs of restlessness, and the nurse was awake and up tending to its needs. The light was turned low, and when the nurse turned from the child's cradle she was startled to find herself looking into the face of a masked stranger, holding a large knife in his hand.

The woman shrieked, and without a word the masked man rushed upon her with his knife, cutting her on the face and hands. Realizing that the alarm had been given, he then rushed out of the room and was near the stairs when he encountered Mrs. Morell.

He drew his revolver and fired twice, both shots taking effect, one in the right side of the face, the other in the chin. The constables, on reaching the house, discovered that an entrance had been made by cutting away the putty on one of the porch windows.

FAREWELL TO PASTOR.

Methodist Protestants Give Watch to the Rev. Dr. Broomfield and Brooch to His Wife.

Farewell was said to the Rev. Dr. J. C. Broomfield and Mrs. Broomfield by the congregation of the Fourth Methodist Protestant church of Pittsburgh in a hearty manner last evening. The high regard in which the departing pastor and his wife are held was shown. He was presented with a gold watch, while Mrs. Broomfield was given a handsome diamond brooch by the Ladies' Missionary society of the church.

The presentation took place at a farewell reception tendered to Dr. Broomfield and his family. George W. Hall was spokesman for the congregation in presenting the watch to the former pastor, and Mrs. Harry Barnitz spoke for the missionary society in giving the brooch to Mrs. Broomfield. The Rev. S. M. Foster, formerly of Knoxville, who succeeds to the pastorate of the Fourth church, and W. H. Graham were present and made addresses.

The Rev. Dr. Broomfield will leave with his family for his new field of work, Fairmont, W. Va., today.

Gay Windup at Luna Park.

It has been decided to close Luna park's first season on Tuesday, September 26, with a special entertainment for the State Editorial association which will be in session here at that time. The last week at Luna, commencing next Monday, will be known as "Carnival week," and it is promised that there will be "big doings."

Black Hand in Homestead?

It is the opinion of the authorities of Homestead that there is a branch of the Black Hand in that borough and that it is sheltering Natale Palone and Philip Carussa, who are wanted for the murder of Mike Martin at Loyalhanna on August 5. Detectives Frank Bell and J. J. Cavanaugh have been placed on the case.

LACY'S RECOVERY FROM WIFE'S SHOT DOUBTFUL

Couple Quarrel Previous to the Shooting and Husband Seeks to Shield His Wife.

Harry B. Lacy, who was shot by his wife Jennie, early yesterday morning at their home, No. 1 Griffin street, Mt. Washington, is at the Homeopathic hospital in a critical condition. The bullet entered his abdomen and the physicians are doubtful about his recovery. Mrs. Lacy is under arrest at the South Thirteenth street station house.

The couple had a quarrel: Lacy is a traveling salesman for a hardware concern. He returned home late Monday night and his wife says he was intoxicated. W. W. Lang, who boarded with the couple, and who is under arrest as a witness to the shooting, was called from his bed by the couple. They were quarreling and Lang refused to become a party to it. Mrs. Lacy was crying and left the room. Lang and Lacy were sitting together when Mrs. Lacy returned with a revolver and shot her husband.

The first shot missed the man, but the second entered his lower abdomen. Lacy implored his wife to tell the police he shot himself. Later the police were summoned and Lacy was taken to the hospital. Mrs. Lacy says she suffers from a nervous trouble and that she was not in her right mind when she shot her husband.

Both Lacy and his wife are said to have been born in Lexington, Va. They came to Pittsburgh about three years ago and were married here.

DONKEY DISAPPROVES.

Shows Resentment When Called Upon to Drag a Newly-Wedded Couple Through Sharpsburg.

A performance which was resented by a trick donkey and a newly-married couple was the means of entertaining several hundred people on the principal streets of Sharpsburg last night. While Miss Belle McMarlin of Sharpsburg and Albert Wetzel of Millvale were being married last evening in the home of the Rev. T. M. Thompson, pastor of the Sharpsburg Presbyterian church, a kidnaping party was organized and secured the use of a donkey owned by Burgess D. E. Hickey of Millvale, and employed as mascot for the Millvale baseball club.

Neddy was hitched to a small cart, and when the bride and groom appeared they were seized from in front of a carriage which was in waiting and forced into the cart, which bore streamers announcing "Just Married." The donkey, which has seen service in a circus, as well as on the ball field, did not take kindly to his new employment and refused to pull the cart. Four men assisted him and succeeded in dragging donkey, cart and bride and groom over 15 of the principal streets in town, while crowds showed their approbation by hurling rice and old shoes at the principals.

ADOPT FEDERATION PLAN.

Catholics Hope for a World Organization of All Church Societies.

Pope Favors Plan.

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 12.—A world federation of Catholic societies—this is the hope of the future for the American Federation of Catholic societies. The National board of the American Federation of Catholic societies today adopted a plan for including in the work of the American society the Volksverein idea, which is favored by Pius X. in a recent letter. This plan will be presented to the next national meeting of the societies, and if it is adopted every Catholic in the United States can become a member of the American Federation of Catholic societies.

The Catholic people, by the plan mapped out, may belong to the American Federation by societies, parishes or as individuals. The American Federation will include in its work the Volksverein idea, which involves the education of Catholic people by a campaign of literature.

FIND FRIEND IN TAFT.

Chinese, Through Secretary of War, Will Present Suggested Reforms to the President.

HONGKONG, Sept. 12.—Representative Chinese, in discussing the anti-American boycott with Secretary Taft, September 5, suggested a modification of the definition of "laborer," the exemption of business assistants and the validity of consular certificate to be accepted as final evidence of identification. They propose the acceptance of passports vised by American consuls for the admission of Chinese, similar to those in use by the subjects of foreign governments, and they also ask for an improvement in the condition of detention sheds in America.

Secretary Taft, concurring with the propositions presented by the Chinese, undertook to bring them to the attention of President Roosevelt on his return to America.

KIRBY RUNS HIS COURT.

Police Magistrate Will Permit No Interference from Wilt.

It is said that Magistrate Kirby will not preside at the hearings in the Central station unless Mayor Hays removes Clerk E. D. Wilt, who is attached to the magistrate's office. Kirby and Wilt had words yesterday over the case of Valentine Smith, aged 13, who was charged with larceny. Wilt said the boy should be held for juvenile court without a hearing.

"I am running this police court," said Kirby, "and that boy will have a hearing before me before he is turned over to the juvenile court."

Smith was heard and held for the court. He was charged with stealing a package belonging to a downtown firm.

Big Crowd "Rubber-Necked."

There was quite a whirl of excitement at Fifth avenue and Wood street, just at 6 o'clock last night, when C. C. Mumford of 251 South St. Clair street was struck by a car and knocked senseless. A crowd gathered at once and the man bleeding from a gash in his head, nearly suffocated for want of air before a patrol wagon dashed into the morbid crowd standing in a dense mass about the spot where he lay. Mumford was taken to the Homeopathic hospital.

Sewickley Man Dies of Yellow Fever.

Lawrence Christman of Sewickley, received word yesterday that his brother, Michael Christman, had died Monday from yellow fever at Pensacola, Fla. The deceased formerly lived in Sewickley, and went to Florida a year ago to enter the upholstering business. The body will be brought north for burial.

HIGHBALLS LEAD TO ARMY DIVORCE

President of W. C. T. U. Attributes Martial Troubles of Taggarts to Strong Drink.

DEDICATE BABY TO THE CAUSE

"If Solomon could speak he would surely decide that neither parent was a fit guardian for the children," declared Mrs. H. H. Forrest, president of the Allegheny County Women's Christian Temperance union, in addressing the annual convention of the body yesterday afternoon, in the Third United Presbyterian church. The speaker was at the time referring to the Taggart divorce trial and to the "highballs" and "punch" that have figured in the case. During her remarks Mrs. Forrest also took opportunity to refer to the change of policy of "Bishop Potter's Subway Tavern" and the suppression of obscene postal cards by the postmasters of Allegheny and Pittsburgh.

Following prayer, Mrs. Forrest opened the afternoon session with her annual address. She reviewed the work of the year and pointed to what was yet to be done. She called attention to the fact that the incoming foreigners were gaining power by use of the ballot before they could speak English and were getting political instruction from the saloons. She felt sorry that woman had to stand by the American boys to wait 21 years to vote. High license, she said, would not improve the saloon question, for liquor drank out of cut glass goblets and over mahogany bars was just as injurious as the more unpretentiously served drink.

Approves Postmasters' Actions.

"It is highly commendable," said Mrs. Forrest, "that the postmasters of Allegheny and Pittsburgh have confiscated obscene postal cards and have sent them to the postmaster general for action.

"The Taggart divorce trial has shed much light upon army life. For years our union has opposed the army canteen, and we trust that this case has opened the eyes of congress so wide that the canteen will never be re-established. Surely punch, champagne, whisky and highballs flowed all too freely, and we have the sad spectacle of a husband and wife seeking separation and the custody of their children.

"We can rejoice today that rum and religion did not mix in Bishop Potter's subway saloon. The religious aspect has been removed, and under a new management the place will be run as any other rum-hole. Public opinion was against it and the doxology and benediction were out of place. The dissolution of rum and religion will be an object lesson for bishops for all future time."

Mrs. Forrest announced that if the right woman could be found for president, the McKeesport branch would prosper, and stated that when an endeavor was made to start a branch in Tarentum the organizers found the "whole town away on a picnic."

Will Not Accept Re-Election.

At the conclusion of the address Mrs. Forrest received an ovation, after which she caused a surprise by announcing that she would not be a candidate for re-election. She has been president for five years. After Mrs. A. F. Brice had read her report as corresponding secretary she was presented with a handsome chair in appreciation of her work in the union for 20 years. Coraopolis union was presented with a silk banner and Mrs. B. H. Rhoades was presented with a framed certificate of life membership in the state organization.

Mrs. L. S. McConnell, treasurer, reported a balance of $46.39, and Mrs. J. P. Goettman, musical director, offered an encouraging report. Edris M. Burgess, the 2-year-old daughter of Mrs. E. J. Burgess, was dedicated by her parents to the cause of temperance. She was carried to the platform in her mother's arms, when Mrs. M. E. Irwin, county superintendent, offered the dedicatory prayer.

Miss Lillian Phelps of Canada, delivered a temperance address during the evening session, taking for her subject "St. George and the Dragon," and likening the dragon to the liquor traffic.

The morning session was devoted to organizing the convention and hearing reports of the various officers. Three sessions will be held today, and will be devoted to election of officers and meetings between county officers and branch presidents.

FUND IS GROWING.

Local Italians Have Subscribed $1,000 for Victims of Earthquake.

Local Italians are contributing freely to the fund to be sent to the earthquake-stricken district in Southern Italy. Over $1,000 had been raised last night in the office of Frank Torchia, the banker at 607 Webster avenue.

Many cablegrams were received yesterday, those received in answer to queries regarding the fate of residents in the town of Martarano, bringing sad news in almost every instance, while residents of nearly all the surrounding towns replied that they were safe. Banker Torchia received a message from his mother, in the town of Decollatina, stating that the Torchia family was safe. Some of the local Italians who have lost relatives, in the disaster, will leave at once for Italy. A large delegation is preparing to return next week.

READY TO BEGIN BUILDING M'KEESPORT POSTOFFICE

Ground is to be broken tomorrow for the new McKeesport postoffice at Eighth avenue and Walnut street. It is expected to have the foundations and sandstone work done by the middle of next month. The building is to cost about $65,000 without the furnishings.

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You have been thinking of a brass bed? Glad to know it. Here is an opportunity to purchase a strongly constructed brass bed, full size, latest style, excellent finish, for much less than usual.

It has round top, continuous 2-inch posts ornamented with husks, and the filling rods of the ends are arranged in panel shape, jointed with cast brass bulbs, highly burnished, and very best lacquer.

This bed is sold everywhere for $45, but by special contract with the maker we are permitted to sell a few for $35.

In connection with the brass beds attention is directed to our special ELASTIC FELT MATTRESS. This mattress is better than any cotton felt mattress sold anywhere. We make it up ourselves and are in a position to know. We do not claim for it the magic of producing sleep—just an honest mattress, clean, soft, durable—will wear and keep in first-class condition for years. The price for full size mattress is $15.00.

New Lace Sill Curtains

Our Lace Curtain Department presents to the notice of housewives and housekeepers an unequaled collection of new Lace Sill Curtains for the autumn and winter season. These have been gathered from the best factories of Europe, as well as those in this country. Especial attention was directed toward gathering a fine collection from the hand lace workers of France and Switzerland.

Altogether we have some 2,400 of these new Sill Curtains of different laces from which to select.

Nottingham Lace Sill Curtains at 50c, 75c, $1.00 and up to $2.00 a pair.

Arabian Lace Sill Curtains, $5.00, $6.75, $8.00 and up to $12.00 a pair.

French Cluny Lace Sill Curtains, Arab color, $3.00, $3.50 and up to $5.00 a pair.

French Marie Antoinette Sill Curtains, Arab color, $2.25, $2.75 and up to $5.00 a pair.

Real Renaissance Sill Curtains, $3.00 and $4.50 a pair.

Real Torchon Lace Sill Curtains, $3.00, $3.50 and up to $6.00 a pair.

Ruffled Muslin Sill Curtains, 25c, 50c, 75c and up to $2.00 a pair.

White Figured Muslin Sill Curtains, plain hemstitched ruffles, $1.50 a pair.

Along with these figured curtains we have ruffled bedstead spreads and pieces for round bolsters, the spreads in sizes for single, three-quarter and double iron and brass beds, thus having curtains and bed spreads to match, $5.00 a set.

Tambour Swiss Muslin Sill Curtains, $1.75, $2.00 and $2.50 a pair. Swiss embroidered, scalloped edge, dotted muslin sill curtains, three different sizes done, $4.00 pair.

In this connection we desire to call attention to our very large collection of lace insertings for making up special sizes of sill curtains and also our extra heavy French bobbinet for curtains.

Lace insertions in many different grades, from 4c a yard up to $2.50.

White and Arabian Bobbinet, 50 inches wide, at 40c a yard, and on up to 100 inches wide, for 80c a yard.

Autumn Models in Pompadour and Fasso Corsets.

The Pompadour, as is generally known, is our own most excellent corset, manufactured expressly for us in France, while the Fasso is one of the noted corsets of the world, for which we are exclusive agents in Greater Pittsburg.

Our corsetiere, who has just returned from Paris, says the Pompadour models are nearest to perfection of any corsets ever introduced into our corset department.

They were built especially for American women, and they embody every improved model—the long, the medium, the short.

The Pompadour can be had either in plain or fancy materials at prices from $4.50 to $20.00.

Between the prices of $4.50 and $10.00 nearly any woman can be fitted—fitted so beautifully that her whole carriage will become more graceful and distinguished.

Then we have for your favor the new Fasso models, a range in which every figure can be successfully fitted—Fasso prices running from $8.00 a pair up to $16.00.

Our Corset Department is particularly attractive in its range of prices and qualities of corsets, it being maintained in the interests of women who wear the least expensive corsets, as well as those who wear the most expensive makes. Our general prices begin at 50c, then $1.00, $1.50 and upwards to $20.00 a pair. Hundreds of styles in all.

Special Sale of Dress and Street Toques, $7.50.

Opportunity today for women to indulge their taste in a handsome toque, made of fancy velvet and soft chenille braids, all draped on wire frames.

No one of these toques resembles another. Trimming is varied—breasts, wings, quills, ornaments and ribbons.

There are about fifty of them and we feel quite sure every woman who sees them will respond to our assertion that they are worth $2.50 more than what we ask.

New Kid Gloves for Women, $1.00 Pr.

It goes without saying that you need new gloves for autumn—they are of the things that the most economical must replenish frequently during the year.

The Glove section will be given over today to showing new lines, and special attention is directed to those at $1.00 a pair—two examples:

Women's 2-clasp place kid gloves, in all the newest fall tints, including brown, tan, English red, mode, beaver, gray, also white and black, perfect in fit and finish, $1.00 a pair.

Women's 2-clasp gloves, called the "Warwick," heavy cape, mannish in cut and finish—a street glove that will give service, Paris point embroidery backs, equal to many $1.50 gloves, $1.00 a pair.

Autumn Hosiery—Women's and Children's.

Different weights so that every idea may be met, different grades so that every pocketbook may be met.

Women's black cotton hose, full finished—which is the commercial way of saying there are no seams to rip or rub—double heels and toes, 15c a pair.

Children's medium and heavy ribbed cotton hose, sturdy stockings for school wear, 15c and 18c a pair.

Women's black cotton hose, all solid black, or with white feet, 25c, 35c and 50c pair.

Children's extra heavy quality imported cotton hose, extra long, all sizes, 25c, 35c, 50c.

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CARNEGIE PROMISES TO TAKE UP HOSPITAL AID

Directors of South Side Institution Receive Encouraging Letters from Steel Master and Other Financiers on Proposed $100,000 Annex.

Skibo Castle, Dornach, Sunderland.

Acknowledging receipt of your letter, I propose to take up the matter later. Respectfully,

ANDREW CARNEGIE.

JOSEPH BERTRAM, Private Secretary.

This communication from Andrew Carnegie to the board of directors of the South Side hospital was read at the regular monthly meeting of the board last night. While it does not say in a direct way that Mr. Carnegie will aid in raising a fund of $50,000 desired for the proposed hospital annex, in addition to the $10,000 appropriated by the commonwealth, his intention of taking up the matter later is looked upon hopefully by the board.

At the meeting several other letters were read from financiers of Pittsburgh, Philadelphia and New York, in which offers of aid were made under certain conditions. The Ladies' Aid society of the hospital offered aid in any possible way to raise the desired amount.

Mr. Carnegie's letter came in answer to a request from the board recently for his aid in financing the proposed extension of the institution. The hospital is more distinctly a workingmen's institution, and as such it cares for many men injured at the Homestead and Duquesne mills of the Carnegie Steel Company. It has been directly in the line of aiding these men that Mr. Carnegie has made his generous benefactions to Pittsburgh, and while the matter of hospital giving has not been considered or acted upon extensively heretofore, the directors feel confident that he will give their appeal consideration.

The hospital board is planning for an annex to the institution to cost about $100,000. At last night's meeting the plans for the annex were considered, while ways and means of providing were also discussed. The matter of financing the project is in the hands of the finance committee, of which John S. Roth, secretary of the Phillips Mine & Mill Supply Company, is chairman, and Daniel Beech, cashier of the First National Bank of Birmingham, is a member.

The committee is making every endeavor to further the proposed annex and no possible means is being left untried for raising the fund of $50,000. The replies from other financiers than Mr. Carnegie last night gave the board renewed zeal in the matter, and the project will be taken up individually by each member to aid the finance committee in its work.

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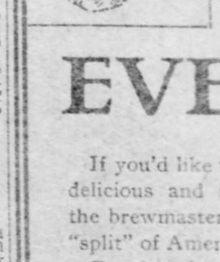

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Russia may construe as the irony of fate the destruction of the Mikasa just after the signing of the peace treaty with Japan. Togo's mighty flagship was a large factor in the defeats Russia suffered, and now, when the war is over, it has been annihilated by its own forces of destruction.

An engine oiler, employed by the Allegheny bureau of water supply, is reported to have been discharged for refusal to pay the recent 2 per cent political assessment. Some other cause has been assigned, of course, but it is an odd coincidence that he did not pay the assessment. When it is learned what this assessment is being collected for Allegheny public employes and Allegheny citizens will know what to vote against in the best interest of the public service.

It is a significant statement that was given out by Mr. Seligman after the departure of Envoy Witte for his home, that as far as lies in the power of that Russian statesman, justice will be done the Jews in Russia. After his return to St. Petersburg Sergius Witte should become the most influential man in all Russia. If he does there will be a new Russia and no one thing will contribute more to its welfare and development than just treatment for the Hebrew race. They have enormous latent power to bring about Russian progress if given fair opportunity.

Franklin's centennial celebration and "old home week," dampened at the outset, should see brighter days. The pretty little city at the confluence of French creek with the Allegheny river is the "old home" of many who have won fame and fortune in other fields. It has been the home of brilliant statesmen and jurists. It is now a thriving manufacturing town. Its century of history is full of human interest from the early events in the days of the French and Indians down to the present time. George Washington visited it once and since that time it has been a "nursery of great men."

An advance of three cents a barrel was made in Pennsylvania oil yesterday. This is in recognition of three things—a heavy draft on Pennsylvania oil stocks during last month; a marked decrease in Texas production together with destruction of stored oil; The anarchy in the Baku district of Russia that has practically removed it from the competitive field for the present. This last is by no means the least factor in the more hopeful situation for the petroleum producer. The most bearish factor remaining is the Territory oil field which is piling up surplus stocks more rapidly than those of Pennsylvania oil are being reduced.

Secretary Taft has received from representative Chinese in Hongkong a definite statement of the "modifications" they desire in the matter of Chinese exclusion. Secretary Taft has promised to lay the request before President Roosevelt when he returns home and there is little doubt our Chinese friends can be accommodated on nearly every point. They ask for admission of the privileged classes on consular certificate, for improvement of the "detention sheds" and for the admission of "assistants to merchants." Except this last clause, which needs very careful handling, there is no visible reason why these requests should not be granted. Certification by American consuls is the best means of identifying persons privileged to enter.

If any American has any idea that Manchuria, over which Japan and Russia have spilled their best blood, is a land of milk and honey—and easy money—he would better disabuse his mind of that conception of the country. A boom in land and other prices has succeeded the boom of the cannon. The door appears to be wide open, for suckers. For instance, according to a consular report, the most desirable tracts of land sell for the monstrous price of $8,000 to $9,000 gold per acre. That beats some coveted coal properties in Pennsylvania. Rents! A house, a small one-story shack that used to give the owner $17 gold a month revenue, in Niuchwang, is now sought by a Japanese merchant who offers $200 in gold a month. This appreciation of values and rents may not last, but enough of it will that should inspire the speculative and venturesome American to stay at home, and with one-half the expenditure of energy be happier if not richer. Pitrsburgh and the great state of Pennsylvania offers more inducements for the right man.

Familiar Old Traducers.

There is something very familiar about the names in the reports of the "Lincoln party convention" in Philadelphia. The 47 "delegates" in attendance are all well known. They are all pretended Republicans who are always grinding the Democratic ax. Some of them have been playing the game for 25 years and most of them have been at it for 10 or more. George E. Mapes is probably the oldest and Henry C. Niles is the newest recruit. It is a safe assumption that he is the only one on the list who voted for either of the last three Republican governors of the state and it is not certain he did. Those governors all had handsome majorities despite the "revolt" of these gentlemen and the Republican ticket this year will be just as surely elected without their votes.

It is not surprising that a local anti-Republican organ referred to the aggregation as the Union party leaders. It is the old crowd with a new name and the Wanamaker backing. There is not much difference, even, in the platform. It has about the same views with alarm and points with pride to nothing in the grand old Keystone state. It is the well-known Democratic annex. It spits venom and vituperation at everything Pennsylvanian and at everything Republican and it fools nobody. It has dragged the name "Union" in the mire and defiles the sacred name of "Lincoln" by its touch. This year the honest Republicans of Pennsylvania ought to bury it and its slanderous tongue so deep it may never again be able to crawl out.

Squelch the Spitters.

Select Councilman E. R. Walters, whose professional knowledge enables him to realize the evils of the spitting nuisance, has prepared a new ordinance designed to make the police do their duty. It is unfortunate the officials who are paid by the city to protect the public comfort should require any additional stimulus to abate or mitigate the most obvious and disgusting nuisance that assails the senses in our downtown streets. The new ordinance contains a specific clause placing the responsibility for its enforcement upon the department of public safety. Expectorating on sidewalks, in public buildings or conveyances should be followed by severe penalties. Dr. Walters' ordinance fixes the offense as a misdemeanor, with jail or workhouse sentences for the perpetrator.

Why Pittsburgh has been so far behind other cities in this commonsense enforcement in the interest of the public decency we do not know. Philadelphia, Boston, Minneapolis and other enlightened communities have long been uncomfortable places of residence for the chronic sidewalk spitter. A Minneapolis man who spits upon the sidewalk or in a street car pays $5 each time he indulges in what Kipling called "the great American prerogative." Foreign critics traveling in this country, from Dickens to Kipling, have always commented upon the amount of expectoration which defiles our pavements and conveyances. We have enough smoke and dirt in Pittsburgh without adding unnecessarily to the visible supply of "matter in the wrong place."

Cost of Living.

Statistics compiled at Washington indicate a decided increase in the cost of living. For a time this increase was in greater proportion than the advance in wages. While the figures were being tabulated, however, changes were in progress that have not materially altered the situation. There has been a reduction in the prices of flour and sugar that are notable in the living expenses of any American family. There have been other reductions, less marked, so it is safe to say the cost of living is now 5 or 10 per cent lower than when the official statistics were collected.

Coincidentally there has been some advance in wages. The boom that has set in since summer began has led to increases to many workmen in various parts of the country and payments for "overtime" have still further added to earnings. It may be taken as a fact that average earnings bear a better relation to cost of living than is shown in the official tables, just published. As compared with other countries the American wage rate is very high and the living cost is low. Savings bank returns verify this statement.

Russian Anarchy.

Russian conditions are not improving in the face of restored peace. The maddened Tartars in the Caucasus district are running amuck growing more fierce with the lapse of time and increasing in numbers. At Krementchug there has been a wanton massacre of Jews by the Cossacks. These are signs of the anarchy that is prevailing, an anarchy born of ignorance and oppression, particularly of ignorance.

Russian national policy is blamable with these conditions because to oppression it has always added repression. Education for the masses has been tabooed, because autocracy cannot survive enlightenment. Kept in dense ignorance the tribes that compose the Russian populace have grown more bitter in their race hatreds and not less savage in their instincts. When the power that has repressed them was divided for the foreign war in the far east, they began to work their vengeance. It has taken long for them to discover their strength. The anarchy is growing with the discovery.

These are serious days for Russia. No man may predict the extent of the disturbance, if the giant discovers he is embound. There has not been revolution because there is no solidarity—no cohesion. Outside of Poland and Finland the troubles have been less of the nature of national revolt than of race rioting. But anarchy may take on many forms.

Bryan's Banquet Boom.

The speech of Mr. William Jennings Bryan at the dinner given in his honor by the Jefferson club of Chicago last evening failed dismally to come up to the advance notices. Of course, we did not look for an exposition of "Bryanism," for "Bryanism," which is simply "Sixteen to One," is dead beyond hope of resurrection and is by this time a pretty sore subject with Mr. Bryan. But we had been led to believe that Mr. Bryan might tell us something new, something that had not yet appeared in the "Commoner," might suggest some practical remedy for acknowledged existing evils, or outline a logical plan by which the innumerable warring factions, which compose that extensive disorganization known as the Democratic party, might work together in a sort of semi-compulsory harmony.

In Mr. Bryan's speech, which seems to be devoid of his usual oratorical graces, we find the expected attack upon President Roosevelt's wise suggestion for the federal supervision of life insurance companies. Mr. Bryan also shudders at the supposed danger that state rights may be placed in peril by the extension of federal supervision, a matter that has already been pretty thoroughly discussed in the public press. The entire production sounds like a commencement essay rather than a bugle note to inspirit timid followers of Democratic doctrines.

Mayor Dunne was amusing in his effort to combine a dissertation on municipal ownership with a tribute to Mr. Bryan as a political leader, and the other gentlemen who spoke seemed glad, at least, that Mr. Bryan is able to take the time from his arduous public duties to enjoy a trip around the world.

If the Republican party were consulted in the matter Mr. Bryan would doubtless be its unanimous choice for the Democratic nomination, but the boom born at last night's banquet is a tender weakling, which will require the most careful nursing if it is to survive until 1908.

Why Wars Are Short.

Although modern civilization has been unable to dispense entirely with war, international contests at arms are generally short, sharp and decisive, in great contrast to the long drawn-out affairs of the olden time. Nations nowadays settle their differences in months instead of years. Our war with Spain lasted a little over three months, the South African about fourteen, the Russo-Japanese a year and a half. Turkey was not long in adjusting matters with Greece a few years ago, the Chinese and Japanese were at war nine months and the Russo-Turkish unpleasantness in 1877 lasted about 11 months. Our own war of 1861-1865 cannot fairly be used for purposes of comparison with international contests. Quarrels within a family are notoriously more bitter than those with outsiders.

For the shortening of the period of warfare man's moral improvement has not been responsible, nor can it be said that man has deteriorated in stamina or that stubborn doggedness which prolongs fighting and simply refuses to see defeat when it stares one in the face. Fighting is a good deal more expensive now than in the old days. Soldiers and ships drain the treasury. War is becoming more and more a matter of the pocketbook. Modern death-dealing machines, with their terrific destructive powers, help to cut wars short. The 10, 20 and 30-year war is an old story and one which will not be repeated.

The decision of an Indiana court that a husband and wife are two, and the husband must pay back any money he has borrowed from her, is the latest cause of self-congratulation among members of the Bachelors' Don't Worry club.

It is somewhat disconcerting to a fellow who has just returned from a fishing trip, and is telling his friends a few large tales, to read that out in California they are catching 600-pound sharks with an ordinary rod and reel.

In connection with the movement of some Philadelphia pastors to get everybody in town to attend some church, it is significant to learn the mint is working night and day turning out pennies.

And now a Missouri editor has been pounded for declining a subscriber's humorous contribution. There is always trouble in store for the fellow who can't take a joke.

Hoke Smith's candidacy for governor of Georgia must be getting serious. The Constitution has felt constrained to publish his record of negro appointments.

Would anyone have expected to see the the Democratic Post quoting the Hon. Thomas von Moltke Cooper as a political authority?

Mr. Rockefeller's interview was especially remarkable for the large amount of intensely interesting information that was left out.

President Roosevelt, they say, still likes to hear the boys call him "Teddy." But then he's only a president, not chief of police.

There was somewhat more "viewing with alarm" than "pointing with pride" at the Bryan banquet in Chicago last night.

War correspondents out of a job are earnestly hoping Norway and Sweden will both show the true sporting spirit.

It seems like old times to hear Brother Bryan's bark once more.

When the elevated car runs wild it is a hard fall.

A PREACHMENT BY THE QUIET OBSERVER

Touching on Prize Fights Between Individuals and Nations.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

How are you on prize fighting?

It would be safe to bet that you will run farther and faster to see a fight than to help a fellowman who is in distress.

And it would be a safe bet that you will go to more trouble and spend more money to see a prize fight than to relieve the sufferings of a neighbor.

This goes to show that the savage, brutal nature of your far-off Anglo-Saxon, Goth or Gaul forebears has not been extinguished.

It is the mission of Christianity through education and culture to eliminate this spirit of cruelty from the nature of the people.

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The average man is ever ready to say that prize fighting is brutish rather than humane, and yet the announcement of a fight to a finish by a pair of husky bruisers goes to a sensitive spot and sets his blood to coursing faster and hotter.

Nor is this confined to ignorant, low-bred people, for at boxing matches, so-called, fights on the quiet or regular prize fights are to be found men of affairs, educated, cultured and admitted to be refined. And among these are some who profess to be Christians and first-class moralists.

Nor does the fact that such exhibitions are contrary to law prevent citizens who profess to be law-abiding from attending them, even at the risk of being caught and lodged in prison.

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In what does a fight to a finish between individuals differ from a fight between nations?

A nation, as such, is as much an individual as is a man as such. Therefore, if it is brutal and inhuman for individual men to batter and bruise each other in the prize ring, is it not even more so for individual nations to maim, wound and kill their people who constitute their nations?

No doubt you will concede all this, and then turn to the war news and read it, if you haven't read it already.

Were the truth told from the heart out, the result of the recent peace conference was a disappointment to the average man, and he belongs to the great majority. The prospects of a terrible, bloody, cruel fight had stirred his fighting blood so deeply that he was anxious to see it pulled off.

That is what's the matter with the rioting Japanese and dissatisfied Russians.

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You may talk peace all you please, but as long as the people retain and cherish the fighting spirit there will be wars.

Enforced peace is better than no peace, but it is not the peace born of man's love for his fellowman, which is perfect peace.

Long, long ago it was predicted that a time would come when man would learn war no more and the implements of warfare would be turned into implements of husbandry.

This time will surely come, but the day and date have not been fixed. It will come in the natural order of events and is dependent upon man's evolution from his animal estate to that of a man after God's own image.

The place to teach the doctrine of peace is in the schools. The famed, but not famous, court of The Hague is a step in the right direction, but until the people learn to love peace for the sake of peace The Hague will be little more than a figurehead.

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As the matter stands now the world is at peace because no particular nation feels itself strong enough to make war against any other nation and its allies.

Nor has one nation confidence enough in any other nation to accept its peace talk as a guarantee that it will not make war as soon as it sees a reasonable chance for making a winning fight.

Our country is the only one that hasn't a bunch of grievances against other nations filed away as excuses for beginning a fight. Nor is it likely that we will get into any serious trouble with other nations, because as a nation we have not grown arrogant nor ambitious to rule the earth.

As a people we are willing to go to The Hague instead of to battle, which places us clearly in the lead of all other nations in the matter of peace, not even excepting Russia, whose emperor claims to be the father of The Hague idea.

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What think you would happen were this country to decide to disarm its navy and devote the vast sums necessary to build and maintain warships to educating the masses in the ways of peace, and in the arts that lead to prosperity and happiness?

Think you that other nations would follow suit, or would they pounce upon us like pirates on a defenseless people?

It would be a great card to play; and this will be the winning card some day, sooner or later. And what nation is more likely to hold, or better qualified to play it at the right time, than is ours?

Can the other world powers be relied upon to stand by the play, should we make it?

The time is hardly ripe for it, but from the tone of the congratulations sent by all the great rulers to President Roosevelt on the conclusion of the treaty of Portsmouth, they seem to realize that this country holds the trump of peace.

Truly Protective Revision.

There is a popular demand for tariff revision. It is not the familiar, Democratic appeal for free trade. It is a demand for something different, for a Republican, truly protective revision.—Pittsburgh Gazette.

Perhaps our sprightly contemporary correctly repeats the demand that is "popular" among the steel magnates. It shrewdly urges that the matter be taken up without delay "by the strong protectionist ways and means committee that is sure to be appointed by Speaker Joseph G. Cannon." It is encouraging to find The Gazette admitting that there will have to be revision of some sort at the approaching session.—New York Herald.

Nothing Left to Enjoin.

The residents of Fairchance, Pa., where the Rand powder works were located, had asked for an injunction restraining the operation of the works before the explosion of Saturday. They wanted a fair chance to live. The complete destruction of the plant would seem to make the stay of the court a useless formality. There is nothing left to enjoin.—Philadelphia Record.

So It Is.

Because Berry has both the Democratic and the Prohibition nominations it is hardly correct to say he is carrying water on both shoulders. The Democratic shoulder must certainly be otherwise engaged. —Philadelphia Press.

Any Allusions to D. B. Hill.

A peanut roaster has exploded at Evansville. Sometimes a political machine smashes itself.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

IF YOU ARE WISE.

If you are wise, these blessings
You will ask for, day by day:
A good, clear heart in a body pure,
And to do God's will alway;
A conscience clear, and a mind sincere,
To work, and always try
To garner wealth in the form of health;
To be honored ere you die.

'Tis right to seek for honor
In fair and honest ways;
God sorely loves to bless one
At the closing of his days;
But honor, true, let me whisper you,
Lies not in honoring self,
It lies in deeds that spring from seeds
By being good yourself.

—Ram's Horn.

MANY VISITORS AT MAYOR'S OFFICE

New York Official Holds Informal Reception for Friends and Department Chiefs.

By FRANK A. PARKER.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—It was quite like an "at-home" in the office of Mayor McClellan today. From 10 o'clock till 1 visitors of all sorts crowded the halls and corridors in their desire to pay their respects. Nearly all the department chiefs called to tell the mayor how well he looked after his vacation, and also how well they have looked after things official while he was away. Former Judge D. Cady Herrick spent a half hour with him and Commissioner of Police McAdoo was a caller, but he declared afterward that the mayor did not say a word about the wave of crime that is just now sweeping the city without much interference from the police. The mayor also held a conference with Controller Grout, and as Mr. McClellan is to have a hand in the selection of his running mates on the Tammany ticket, it is believed he talked to the controller on the subject of another term.

The fusionists are still in the woods looking for a candidate with whom to defeat McClellan, and the latest talk is about William Randolph Hearst, who is being groomed by the Municipal Ownership league. It is not surprising that Mr. Hearst's name is mentioned, since his political manager, Max Ihmsen, is the league's representative on the committee named by the fusionists to look up a candidate. Mr. Ihmsen would not be doing his duty if he did not get his employer a little advertising out of the game.

Now It's Dead Man's Curve.

The point where the accident on the elevated happened yesterday has been named "dead man's curve," and the name is likely to stick. There is much talk today about the cause of the accident, and the general opinion seems to be that the curve was not properly banked. The railroad officials declare it is impossible to bank the curve at that point, but say that fact had very little to do with the accident. The railroad commission has taken up the subject of the wreck, but we cannot expect a remedy to be suggested for a year or so. It is stated that the commission may order the company to abolish all grade crossings.

One Police Graft Spoiled.

The municipal civil service commission spoiled a little graft this morning before they started to examine 175 policemen for promotion. Some one had taken possession of the list of questions and had sold them to prospective candidates for promotion. The trick was discovered and a new list prepared while the candidates were waiting in the room. As a result some of the candidates seemed greatly pleased—they were the honest few who were willing to stand on their merits—while a number of others who evidently saw that the money they had paid in advance for the list was wasted, and they looked very glum.

Charged With Stealing Her Own Dress.

Miss Mabel Eaton had the unique experience of being arrested charged with stealing a gown she had bought and paid for with her own money. Three weeks ago she missed a gown valued at $30 and notified the police. Some time later she discovered it reposing in the bottom of a trunk. She forgot to notify the police, and yesterday while walking along the street Detective Whitfield recognized the gown from the description given him three weeks ago. He promptly arrested her and took her to the police station, where explanations followed and she was released.

More Than One Charles Murphy.

Charles F. Murphy, the Tammany boss, discovered today that he is not the only Charles Murphy able to get to the public eye. The other one is Col. Charles J. Murphy, who has just been decorated by the czar with the Order of the Knights of St. Stanislaus. The decoration is in recognition of Col. Murphy's efforts in behalf of the starving Russian peasants during the famine of 1891. Col. Murphy is the youngest surviving veteran of the Mexican war, and said to be the only Mexican war veteran voted a medal of honor by congress.

Hummel Trial Again Delayed.

Justice Truax today adjourned the hearing of A. H. Hummel, indicted for connection with the Dodge-Morse divorce case, for a change of venue to some other county, to next Tuesday. C. J. Sullivan said he was satisfied to make no opposition to the motion, provided that the argument should be heard next Tuesday. "For weeks," said Mr. Sullivan, "the district attorney has been saying that we intended to delay the trial. Now we are ready, and it is the district attorney who seeks delay." Justice Truax announced that the motion must be argued next Tuesday.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels:

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R. A. Wilson,
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C. C. Dinsmore.

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New Name and Good One.

The suggestion from Fayette county Republicans of Josiah V. Thompson for governor adds an entirely new name to the list of aspirants to that office.—Louisville Herald.

SALTING OF MINES NO LONGER PROFITABLE

Promoting Cheapest Form of Stock Gambling and Draws the Good Things.

The Denver correspondent of the New York Sun writes that salting a mine and unloading it upon some unsuspecting victim is regarded as very bad form in the west now. The modern method is to incorporate it and scatter the beautifully engraved certificates as widely as possible. The new way is much easier, more profitable and less dangerous.

The final purpose of the mining stock gamble lies in the cheapness with which one can get in. In hundreds of cities in the west are located one or more mining companies with inflated capital—anything less than a million is looked upon with derision—and shares are offered all the way from one cent to $9 apiece. The most alluring literature is scattered broadcast and many agents are employed on commission to sell the stock. For $10 or $20 enough engraved stock certificates to paper a reception room may be secured, and there are few men who are not willing to risk that sum upon the turn of fortune's card. If they win they believe that they will make a killing. If they lose, well, no matter—it was a good bet, anyway.

Immediately after the discovery of a new gold camp the mining stock swindlers get the busiest. For a few hundred dollars the shark can buy or locate in the vicinity of the new camp shreds and patches of ground that have no present or prospective value as mines. A mining corporation, with an attractive name and a million or two of capitalization, is formed. A few friends are called in and a set of officers and directors is selected. They at once negotiate a deal whereby all or nearly all of the stock is turned over to the owner of the claim in payment for it. Then whatever stock of the company has been issued is owned by the promoters, while the company has the claim. If the latter cost $1,000 and the stock issued, 2,000,000 shares, is sold at an average of five cents, the clean-up is close to $100,000.

Expenses of Promotion.

All of this, however, is not velvet. There must be expensively fitted up offices, a corps of clerks and stenographers, advertising expenses and various little details to be covered. All of which cost money. The whole object of the campaign is to get rid of the stock quickly. A year is the usual limit.

There are many legitimate mining brokers, but there are harpies in abundance also. It is difficult, save through experience or previous careful inquiries, to distinguish the real mining broker from the sham. The latter is a close imitator. He, too, controls some brokerage or financial company, and he, too, advertises his sole business as the handling of sound stocks of proved value. Oftentimes a group of these sharks will organize a half-dozen companies. One is thus able to guarantee to inquirers the solvency or the legitimacy of another, and by freely commending one another's propositions help to swell the number of suckers.

Many of these mines are located in territory that has been prospected and found to be practically worthless. Any one can ride out, put up a notice saying that he has discovered the "Little Mogareh," that he claims 170 by 1,500 feet in a northerly direction, that he claims 60 days in which to do the assessment work and 30 days in which to file notice with the county clerk for recorder. In a few hours he can stake off half a dozen claims and within 60 days he can get a hole put in each one for $5.

If he is imperchance he may go to a friend and tell him that if he will put up enough money for the floating of the corporation he will make him president and give him half of the promotion stock. Half of the capitalization will be taken as pay for the promotion and the remainder is sold as the treasury stock.

Work of the Shark.

Another plan of operation displays remarkable financial ingenuity. A shark will go into a district and get an option on a piece of worthless ground for a few hundred dollars. He organizes a company, but as a guarantee of solidity announces that it will be incorporated only when the sale of stock has been assured. As the head of the proposed mining company he makes a contract with the brokerage company, in which he is also interested, by which the latter gets 60 or 70 per cent commission for selling the treasury stock. After the work ceases on the unpatented ground the claim reverts to the government and is open for relocation by the first comer after January 1 following. If it should happen that one of the claims located by these sharks shows indications of giving good returns in ore, assessment work will be abandoned and the claim quietly relocated by the shark himself. Instances have been known also where small dividends have been declared and paid out of the money received for the sale of stock. This often proves a good investment for the promoter, since the receipt of a dividend is likely to cause a good demand.

What Promoters Retain.

Promoters always strive to retain for a time a controlling interest in their corporations. This is done through the retention of the promotion stock, usually half of the amount issued. If the prospect is developed and proves a paying one it is done upon the money furnished by the purchasers of the treasury stock, but the promoters get an equal dividend upon stock that cost them only the preliminary expense. If it proves a failure, the promoters, the men on the inside, have the chance to unload his stock before the public hears of the finding out.

The story is told of a Cripple Creek promoter who was thus rolled down by a discerning gentleman to whom he had sent some literature.

"What about your watered stock? Your method is the tunnel one, but I prefer the shaft system, where the water is in the shaft rather than in the stock."

The promoter framed this reply: "Under the laws of Colorado, passed at the special instance and request of the Humane society, a man is compelled to water his stock." And most of them act as though they believed this law to govern.

The Color Changed.

It is understood that Mr. Addicks no longer regards Delaware's Allie as white. —New York Herald.

QUAINT QUIPS.

First Citizen—That new neighbor of ours, Mrs. Jones, seems an ill-natured sort.

Second Citizen—How so?

First Citizen—Why, I called her up on the telephone yesterday, and asked her if she had any idea where her husband was staying, but she rang off without answering me.

Second Citizen—I don't wonder—he's dead.—Harper's Weekly.

Pat—This is a great country, Mary Ann, Mary Ann—How's that?

Pat—Shure th' pa-apers say ye can buy a foine dollar penny order for three cints. Oi'm afther layin' way me wit' ov money ye give me for th' cake av soap.—Washington Life.

He—I know lots of women that haven't any sense of humor.

She—Well, what of it? I know lots of men that haven't any sense at all.—Detroit Free Press.

"He says he cannot live without me," said the unbreakable heiress.

"Don't believe it," returned Miss Cayenne. "He will live. But he may have to employ valets."—Washington Star.

Kitchen—I wish I could get rid of this horrible cockroach.

Scullion—Why, I have it. I get rid of it very simply. A kiss from my sweetheart, and it's gone.

Kitchen—Is that so? Do you mind giving me his address?—Fliegende Blaetter.

The boys are back in town, we find
There's scattered all their happy hours
And some have left their hearts behind
And some have left their tempers.
—Louisville Courier-Journal.

STORIES FOUND IN THE LOBBIES

Interesting Happenings About the People Who Are Traveling.

Hereafter smoking will be allowed on the observation platform of the Pennsylvania limited train. Orders have been issued by the railroad officials to allow smoking on the rear platform of the last car of the train, as it has been found that the patrons of the fast train are mostly men. Few women use the train for travel, so it is said it will be the only first-class train in this country on which smoking will be allowed on the observation platform. Other lines also have issued the order on the ground that it is the safest precaution to take against fire in the cars incidental to the use of lamps.

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D. T. Watson Gives Free Advice.

Attorney D. T. Watson, who has been touring Europe for the last five months, returned to Pittsburgh last night on the Pennsylvania limited. Mr. Watson says he had a fine time, and will be happy now his carriage be turned about and sold.

"I'll tell you the best thing in the world. Get into one of the big automobiles and tour France. It's great."

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His Good Record Broken.

Bert Kelley, clerk of the Monongahela house, yesterday received a letter from a man who stopped at the house last week, and he says the good record for nicely taking his room key away with him has been broken after nearly 2 years. The writer states he has traveled over a great part of the world and stopped at many hotels, but has never when he left Pittsburgh be carried away with him the key to his room. The writer returned the key by mail.

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Jackman Welcome at California.

Prof. W. S. Jackman, president of the school of education, Chicago university, and formerly a member of the faculty of the Central High school in Pittsburgh, was guest of honor last night at a meeting of the faculty and senior class of the California State Normal school. Prof. Jackman made a vigorous plea for progressive, up-to-date methods in school work. Prof. Jackman is a graduate of the California Normal, class of 1897, and was for several years a teacher in the school. The fall term of the California school began last week with a very large enrollment of students. The senior class now numbers 39 and the middle class about the same number. The new teachers are Miss Mary C. Burns of the Oswego (N. Y.) Normal school, as one of the training teachers, and Prof. John A. White of Moline, Ill., as head of the commercial department.

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Braddock Cashier Quits.

Edward M. Brackmeyer, who was one of the original officers of the Braddock National bank, Braddock, when it first opened its doors, resigned his position as cashier yesterday, to take effect at once. Assistant Cashier George A. Todd was elected cashier and Teller A. H. Woolridge was elected assistant cashier. Mr. Brackmeyer started upon his banking career May 7, 1877, as a messenger boy for John G. Kelley in the old Braddock Trust Company. He remained with Mr. Kelley when the Braddock National bank was organized and about 10 years ago when Maj. J. E. Stewart resigned from the presidency and Mr. Kelley was elected president, Mr. Brackmeyer was elected cashier.

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Leaves for European Tour.

Robert Lyons, boatman of engine company No. 5, left yesterday morning for New York, where he will embark today for Liverpool, England. He expects to be gone two months, and will tour England, Ireland and the continent.

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And the Dog Was There.

After trouping with an actress, who played with a theatrical company which opened a local theater, over her determination to have her pet dog live in her room with her at the Hotel Henry, Fred C. Andrews, assistant manager of the hotel and secretary of the Pittsburgh Hotel Proprietors' association, cleared on his vacation. Mr. Andrews reported for duty last night and has an amusing story. After leaving Pittsburgh he went to Buffalo, and on his arrival in that city he found the train would lay over for 2 minutes, and Andrews, taking the opportunity to get a lunch, left the train. By the time he reached the lunch room only one seat was vacant. He was ushered to the seat, and just as he sat down he felt a touch on the arm, and looking around a woman asked:

"Are you still after my poor little boy?"

Andrews was surprised and hardly able to answer, but as he was getting his breath he looked down, and there was the same little fox terrier caught in the actress' trap.

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They Want High Colors.

C. D. Staples of Akron, O., representative of a rubber manufacturer in Miami, stopped off in Pittsburgh for about an hour last night. He came in on the train from Cincinnati over the Baltimore & Ohio. While at the station he said his company has had much trouble introducing their goods in the Philippines, and on investigation was begun to learn the cause. After travelers about in the populous parts of the islands they soon reported the Filipino women refused to buy the rubber of the Akron manufacturer because of the color. Staples said his firm is now designing paints for the women, and when they see the goods, which will be made for sale in the Philippines, they will look like a Japanese fan.

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People Who Are Traveling.

E. W. McCook, passenger agent at Union station, went to Atlantic City last night, accompanied by his wife.

Charles White, general superintendent of passenger transportation of the Pennsylvania lines west, and a party went to Philadelphia, their private car being attached to the 10 p. m. train.

Robert Pitney, general superintendent of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad in Pittsburgh, returned from Bedford yesterday.

Thomas R. Wood, who represents William M. Murphy & Sons, Baltimore bankers, arrived in Pittsburgh last night and is spending with his wife at the Monongahela house.

Mrs. W. H. Arrowsmith of the Tennessee United States industry came in this city last night to visit friends. Mrs. Arrowsmith, who has been in Porto Rico for several years, has been granted a six months' furlough. She intends going to Fort Logan Root, Arkansas.

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Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

Duquesne—D. J. Patterson, Ullom; C. A. Stahl, Elgin; L. W. Rau, Bridgeport, W. Va.; G. A. Stahl, Elwood City; C. C. Haines, Dayton, O.

Seventh Avenue—T. H. Wright, Scottdale; H. H. Ross, Ada, O.; W. F. Dennis, Cambridge; William Wishart, Kingston, O.; J. Tighe, Elm Grove; M. Tighe, Fulton, O.; A. Eliot, Punxsutawney; Dr. L. A. Richard, Riverside; W. F. Bodmer, Rittersville; F. Mills, Mt. Vernon, O.; F. K. Lauffe, Rapidsburg; O. W. Crandell, Williamsport.

Monongahela—T. L. Brown, Bridgeport, W. Va.; Will Tyson, Big Run; W. A. Smith, Uniontown; W. M. Lucas, Connellsville; J. C. Judith, Fairmont, W. Va.; F. L. Stewart, Niles, O.; F. S. Rice, Dayton.

Griswold—C. A. Jenkins, Somerville, W. Va.; Fred Cook, Sutherly; R. P. Cowen, Wheeling, W. Va.

Henry—James Evans, Youngstown, O.; W. Va.; F. M. Powers, Youngstown, O.; J. Dorr, Mercerville; C. A. Grady, Bayonne, O.; E. B. Cooper, Canton, O.; H. E. Palmer, Bayonne, O.; C. H. Devlin, Rochester.

Newell's—C. C. Horvette, Monongahela; J. B. Bennett, Bellaire, O.; R. B. Huber, New Castle.

Anglers—J. S. Lyon, Youngstown, O.; W. Holt, Erie; O. R. Mahaffey and N. P. Fowler, Rochester; L. A. Burns, Akron, O.

HOT FIGHTS IN THE PRIMARIES

Republicans Will Have Several Contests for Nominations in the Saturday Election.

LOWRY IS WELL PLEASED

Four nominations will be hotly contested for in the Republican primaries next Saturday. The offices involved are commissioners, recorder and clerk of courts. The polls will be open between the hours of 2 and 7 o'clock p. m.

There are two commissioners to nominate and three candidates, Charles B. Price, J. K. Campbell and W. W. Murray. For recorder the fight is three-cornered, the contestants being John A. Fairman, Robert K. Cochrane and Harvey A. Lowry. Capt. John A. Reed and William Dodds will fight for the nomination for clerk of courts.

Robert E. Stone of McKeesport was given a clear field for register yesterday by the withdrawal of Andrew S. Miller, of Bellevue. Robert C. Routh of Allegheny, who had also announced, failed to put up his assessment of $500. W. E. Newlin of McKeesport, for controller, and Fred Goettman of Allegheny, for commissioner, also neglected to qualify by posting the announcement fee. Chairman Ford kept his headquarters open until 6 o'clock last evening to allow Newlin, Routh and Goettmann an opportunity to qualify. They did not appear, and the tickets were ordered printed without their names.

Make-Up of the Ticket.

The make-up of the ticket is in the hands of the executive board of the county committee, composed of Chairman Ford, Vice Chairman Davis, Secretary Muehlbronner and Treasurer Gillespie. It has been decided that the names of the candidates appear on the ballot in the order in which announcements were filed. The ticket will be as follows:

Commonpleas court judge, James S. Young; prothonotary, W. B. Kirker; register, Robert E. Stone; recorder, Harvey A. Lowry, R. K. Cochrane, John A. Fairman; clerk of courts, John A. Reed, William Dodds; treasurer, George Z. Hosack; county commissioners, W. W. Murray, J. K. Campbell, Charles B. Price; controller, Franklin P. Booth; director of the poor, W. H. Guy.

Mr. Lowry was the last candidate to pay his assessment, the money being handed to Chairman Ford yesterday. Mr. Lowry volunteered this statement:

I am satisfied the primaries of Saturday will be open and I am willing to submit my claims to the Republicans of the county. I have seen nothing to indicate that the leaders are endeavoring to issue orders for any slate. One of the best evidences of the absence of orders came to my attention today when seven or eight ward leaders volunteered their services to me and promised to exert every influence possible to carry their wards for me.

Mr. Miller Satisfied.

This statement was issued by Mr. Miller after he had decided to retire from the contest for register. It shows no evidence of soreness:

I desire to state to my friends throughout the county that I have decided it to be useless to continue in the contest for register of wills with reasonable hope of success, the principal reason being that the candidate for prothonotary and myself are from the same legislative district. The death of Maj. J. B. Hamilton, the former prothonotary, occurred since I commenced my canvass, and this placed William B. Kirker, the former chief clerk of that office in line for promotion. The political workers throughout the county, and especially in the Eighth legislative district, claim that the offices must be geographically distributed and bitterly contest the condition that the two best offices in the county should come from the same district. On the advice of friends, who have been conducting my campaign, that it would be unwise to continue the contest, and in the interest of harmony, I have concluded to withdraw from the race for register at this time. I take this opportunity to thank my friends who have stood by me and given their valuable services without money and without price.

Chairman Ford has sent a letter to each of the candidates requesting them to send him the name of the person they desire appointed to represent them on the returning board. In addition to these appointees, the board consists of the county chairman, vice chairman, secretary and treasurer of the county committee and the judge or one of the inspectors of each of the voting districts in the county. The board will meet at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon. This body tabulates the vote and has power to decide all contests.

Instructions from Ford.

A letter has been sent to the county committeemen by Chairman Ford. He calls attention to the rules governing the question of qualification of voters. Any person who voted the Republican ticket at the last preceding national or state election and has resided in the district for 30 days can vote at the primaries. Those who have been affiliated with any other party, or whose right to vote is challenged, can vote if they can satisfy the election board by their affidavit that they desire to become affiliated with the Republican party.

Chairman Ford calls attention that all voting must be by the ballot furnished by the executive board of the county committee. The names of those voting must be entered on a list. Notice is given of the rule prohibiting police officers from approaching within 50 feet of the polling places, except to quell a breach of the peace. During the counting of the vote, supervisors are privileged to witness the count. So far no candidate has asked for the appointment of supervisors. When the count is completed, the election officers shall enclose in a sealed envelope a certificate showing the count, a list of voters, all ballots cast, affidavits of election officers and voters and tally papers properly signed and vouched. This envelope must be delivered to Chairman Ford before 3 o'clock Monday afternoon by the judge or one of the inspectors.

Letter from Leslie.

Chairman Leslie of the Republican city committee, has addressed a letter to each of the 30 ward chairmen in the city. He calls their attention to the rule which requires each ward committee to meet the Friday night before all primaries. The purpose of this meeting is to deliver to the election officers all of the necessary blanks and pickets to be used at the primaries. In his letter, Chairman Leslie covers about the same ground as Chairman Ford does in his instructions to the county committeemen.

Mayor Hays and Director Bigelow have broken their agreement with Controller Larkin. Yesterday they permitted Murry A. Verner to participate in a conference they were holding with Chairman Woods of the Citizens county committee. Larkin agreed to "go along" with the Citizens machine, if Verner was not allowed to have a voice in the counsels. Bigelow explains that Verner just "butted" in and on account of old associations he and the mayor did not like to deny him admission to the "throne" room. Verner says he is not in politics, and the truth is often spoken in jest.

The county commissioners yesterday permitted the electors of the Sixth district of Chartiers township to vote at the school house. Chief Clerk Rowley says the polling place has been in a chicken coop.

Will Celebrate September 25.

The committee on the semi-centennial of the Pittsburgh High school held a brief session last night and decided to hold the celebration on the afternoon and evening of September 25 in the Fifth avenue school building.

On Account of the Meeting of the Sovereign Grand Lodge I. O. O. F.

To be held in Philadelphia Sept. 16th to 23d, Penna. R. R. Co. will sell excursion tickets at greatly reduced rates on Sept. 15 to 19th inclusive, good returning until September 25th. Extension of return limit may be secured until October 5th on payment of fee of $1.00 to Joint Agent at Philadelphia.

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Withdrawal of a Candidate for County Commissioner Simplifies the Situation.

PARTY LEADERS CONFER

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
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PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 12.

The new Republican county ticket will be nominated next Monday or Tuesday by the Republican city committee. The last obstacle was today removed by the withdrawal as a candidate for re-election of Commissioner Hugh Black, who for weeks objected to taking this course on the grounds that it would be a reflection upon him as an officeholder, also as a Republican. This morning Senator Penrose, Israel W. Durham and Senator McNichol, had a final conference with Mr. Black and convinced him that the interests of the party should not be subordinated to those of the individual.

Withdrawal papers have been filed by H. C. Ransley, candidate for sheriff, John B. Lukens, candidate for coroner, and Hugh Black and Jacob Wildemore, candidates for re-election as county commissioners. Senator Penrose expects the sub-committee of the Republican city committee and the sub-committee of the Union League Committee of Twenty-one to meet this week and agree on a new county ticket. This joint selection will be ratified by the city committee Monday or Tuesday. Next Wednesday the City party will hold its nominating convention and the Democrats, the same night, will hold theirs and indorse the City party ticket.

Franklin S. Edmonds, the new chairman of the City party, today intimated that the City party ticket would only carry the county candidates. He said the question had not been definitely settled. His opinion was that the City party was organized for a local reform, and that it would find plenty to do in trying to defeat the Republican ticket in Philadelphia. He also thought that an indorsement of Berry, the Democratic candidate for state treasurer, would tend to prevent Independent Republicans from supporting the local candidates of the City party.

Complete returns on the September assessment show a loss in registration of 36,188 voters. It is said half of this number are absent from the city and will be home and entitled to a vote election day. The other half is charged to the death list, removals from the city and failure of voters to register because of police intimidation.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

BIGELOW SAYS FILTER EMPLOYES WILL BE VOTED

Aspinwall Will Make a New Ward and the Filtration Site Is to Be Annexed to It.

Director Bigelow admitted yesterday that it was the intention of the Citizens party managers, if possible, to vote the army of filtration employes at Aspinwall plant at the mayoralty election next February. The ordinance granting the consent of the city of Pittsburgh to the annexation of Aspinwall borough to this city was passed by common council Monday night, and will go to select council in two weeks.

"Aspinwall will be a part of Pittsburgh before the February election," said Director Bigelow yesterday. "The people out there want annexation and they will vote to come in. The ordinance for the annexation of Aspinwall does not bring in the filtration plant, but the territory can be taken in afterward easily. We want to make a new ward of Aspinwall and to make the filtration plant a part of the new ward. If the filtration plant should not be taken in, we could vote the filtration employes by moving them down into Aspinwall."

If Director Bigelow's prediction that the people of Aspinwall will vote for annexation is verified, the borough will become a part of the city on January 1, next, at the same time Sterrett township enters the city. This will make two new wards for the city, the Fortieth and the Forty-first.

SILAS WHITE GOES TO JAIL UNTIL VICTIMS RECOVER

Silas White, the negro who terrorized the residents of the hill district Monday night by firing his revolver at everybody who got in his way and wounding two men, was committed to jail yesterday by Magistrate Kirby to await the results of his victims' injuries. Both men are doing nicely. White had a dispute with George Russell, a negro contractor, over $1.25. He shot Russell in the back and Benjamin Manis in the leg.

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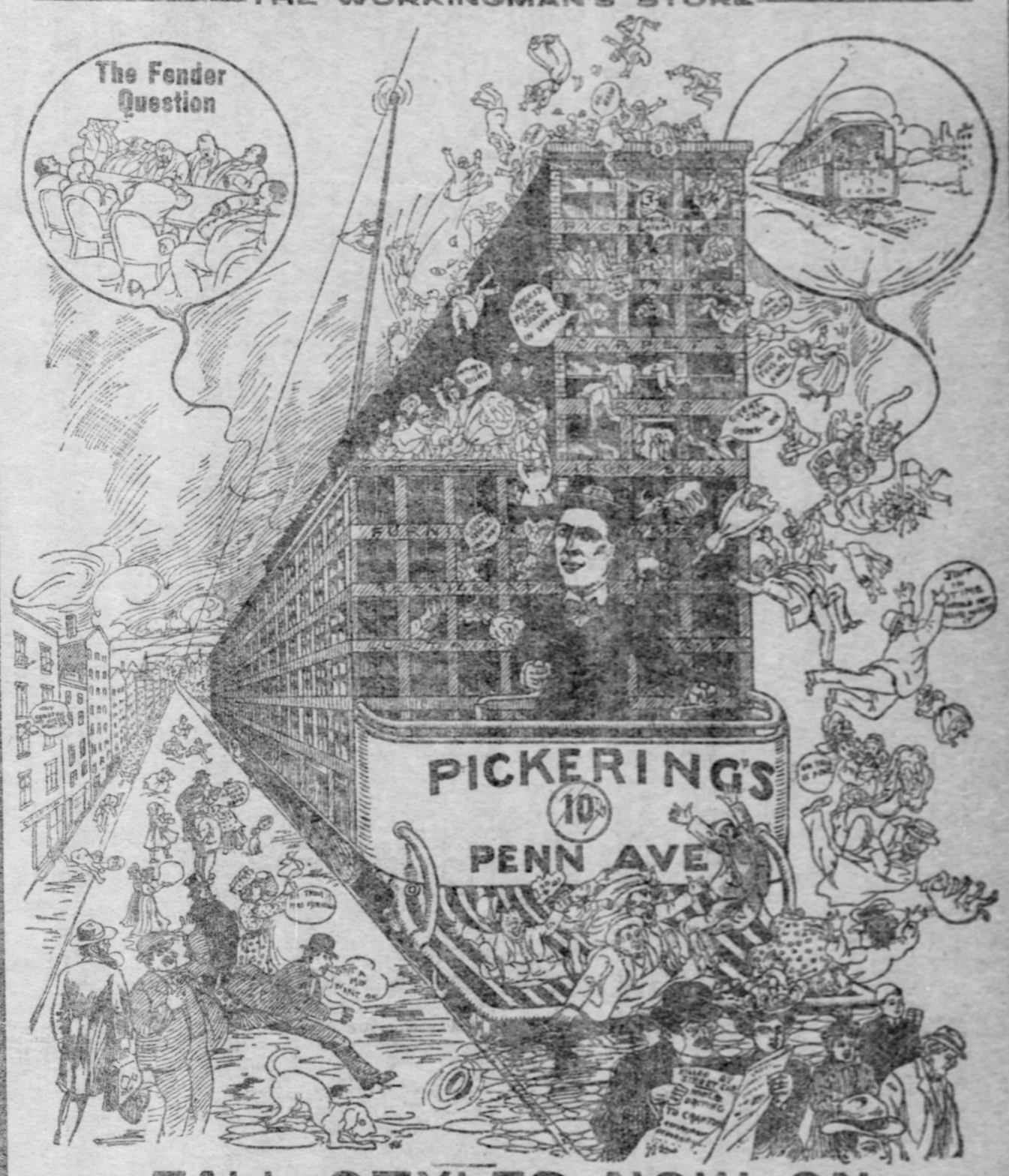

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FARMER CONTEST For any kind of field-grown pumpkin, sweet or cow, heaviest receives $100.00 merchandise; second, $50.00 merchandise; third, $25.00 merchandise; fourth, $20.00; fifth, $10.00; fifteen other smaller prizes. Correct list with names of merchandise that donated prizes will be mailed to you September 25. Send postal card for list and instructions how to ship pumpkins. Pumpkins must be shipped so as to arrive here any time between October 25 and 28. Contest takes place October 30, for three days. We don't have to see field-grown pumpkin. Just send it in. We do want to see roof-grown pumpkin so as to be sure it grew on roof.

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Buffalo Limited	* 9.00 am	* 3.00 pm
Cleveland, Toledo & Detroit	*12.35 pm	* 8.35 pm
Cleveland & Chautauqua	* 9.00 am	*12.15 pm
Buffalo & Eastern Express	*12.35 pm	* 6.05 pm
Lake Chautauqua Past Line	*12.35 pm	* 6.30 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	* 3.30 pm	*10.10 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex.	* 2.30 pm	*12.15 pm
Boston special	* 5.00 pm	* 6.35 am
Cleveland & Detroit "Flyer"	* 6.25 pm	*11.15 am
Chicago Limited	* 6.25 pm	* 6.35 am
Buffalo Express	*10.00 pm	* 5.35 am
Cleveland Night Express	*11.50 pm	* 9.00 am
Youngstown Accommodation	* 5.30 am	* 9.00 am
Beaver Falls Accommodation	* 6.45 am	* 8.45 am
Beaver Falls Accommodation	* 1.10 pm	* 9.30 am
Beaver Falls Accommodation	* 3.35 pm	*12.10 pm
New Castle Accommodation	*11.55 am	* 4.15 pm
New Castle Express	* 4.25 pm	* 7.50 am
New Castle Express	* 8.30 pm	* 1.20 pm
Beaver Falls Express	* 6.25 pm	* 9.25 am
Beaver Valley Express	* 9.00 pm	* 6.45 am
Brownsville Accommodation	* 4.25 am	* 7.50 am
Brownsville & N. Bay Ex.	* 8.00 am	* 8.00 am
Brownsville & Brownsville	*11.55 am	*11.40 am
Brownsville & New Haven	* 3.25 pm	* 4.50 pm
Brownsville Express	* 6.25 pm	* 8.05 pm
Brownsville Express	*10.30 pm	* 3.40 pm

P. C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Bradling and Beechmont, 10:30 a. m., 12:30 p. m., 11:19 p. m.
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RAILROADS.

Pittsburgh Union Station
Pennsylvania Lines.
By Central Standard Time.

TRAINS.	LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis	* 1.20 am	* 7.05 am
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 2.35 am	*10.55 am
Indianapolis, Louisville, St. Louis	* 4.50 am	* 8.05 am
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 4.50 am	* 3.35 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	* 4.50 am	* 8.30 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 4.50 am	* 8.40 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	* 8.35 am	* 1.00 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 8.35 am	* 3.30 pm
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 9.00 am	*10.55 am
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 9.00 am	* 1.00 pm
Ohio Valley Express	* 9.00 am	* 5.30 pm
Salem and Alliance	* 9.00 am	*10.40 pm
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 1.00 pm	* 4.35 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 1.00 pm	* 4.40 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 3.40 pm	* 8.40 pm
Mercer and Oil City	* 3.40 pm	*10.55 pm
Youngstown and New Castle	* 3.40 pm	* 8.30 pm
Jamestown and New Castle	* 3.40 pm	* 8.30 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 3.40 pm	* 8.30 pm
The Cleveland Express	* 5.00 am	* 8.05 pm
The Cincinnati Limited	* 5.00 pm	* 8.05 pm
The Toledo Special	*11.30 am	* 4.20 pm
Tuscan and Toledo	*11.30 am	* 4.20 pm
Columbus and Chicago	*10.40 pm	* 1.30 pm
Fort Wayne, Toledo & Detroit	*11.30 am	* 4.20 pm
Jamestown and Ashtabula	*11.30 am	*10.55 am
Cleveland and Bellaire	* 1.35 pm	* 1.05 pm
Alliance and Mansfield	* 1.30 pm	* 1.00 pm
Mercer, Franklin and Clintonville	* 1.30 pm	* 7.45 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 4.45 pm	* 8.30 pm
Mercer and Oil City	* 4.30 pm	* 8.30 pm
Kilbuck Youngstown	* 4.45 pm	* 1.30 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 4.45 pm	* 1.30 pm
The St. Louis Special	* 4.00 pm	* 1.35 pm
Logansport and Chicago	* 1.40 pm	* 1.00 pm
The Cleveland Special	* 5.00 pm	*11.15 am
The Cleveland Express	* 5.00 pm	* 1.40 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 5.15 pm	* 1.30 am
The Chicago Special	* 1.40 pm	* 1.40 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 5.15 pm	* 1.30 am
Logansport and Indianapolis	* 5.45 pm	* 1.30 am
The St. Louis Limited	* 5.45 pm	* 1.30 am
The Pennsylvania Limited	* 5.45 pm	* 1.30 am
Toledo and Detroit Express	* 8.30 pm	* 6.45 am
Beaver Falls and New Castle	*10.40 pm	* 5.45 am
Allegheny and Cleveland	* 9.00 pm	* 7.40 am
The Pennsylvania Special	*11.45 pm	*11.40 pm

Leave for Washington, Pa., *6.00 am, *7.00 am, *8.00 am, 9.45 am, *1.00 pm, *3.00 pm, *4.10 pm, *5.10 pm, *6.10 pm, *8.40 pm, *10.20 pm, *12.00 pm, *12.01 pm.
Leave for Wheeling, *6.00 am, *8.00 am, *11.55 am, *3.00 pm, *8.40 pm, *7.00 pm.
Leave for Steubenville, *7.40 am, *8.25 am, *4.25 pm, *7.50 pm, *12.01 pm.
Leave for Denison, *7.40 am, *2.00 pm.
Leave Allegheny for Salem and Alliance, *8.25 pm.
*Every day. †Week days only. ‡Sundays only.

BUFFALO, ROCHESTER AND PITTSBURGH RY.

Ticket Office, 504 Smithfield St. Trains Leave B. & O. Station, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Eastern Standard Time.	Leave.	Arrive.
Buffalo and Rochester Express. (Cafe-Observation Cars week days). Reclining Chair Car daily	* 5.00 am	* 7.05 pm
Dubois Accommodation	† 4.05 pm	†11.00 pm
Buffalo & Rochester Night Express (Pullman Sleepers)	*10.00 pm	* 7.05 am

*Daily. †Week days.

RAILROADS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

Trains leave on Eastern Standard Time from Union Station, Pittsburgh, FOR PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON.

Pennsylvania Special, daily, for North Philadelphia and New York	12.54 a. m.
Manhattan Limited, daily, for North Philadelphia and New York	1.10 a. m.
Keystone Express, daily	2.00 a. m.
The Pennsylvania Limited, daily	6.05 a. m.
New York Limited, daily	7.10 a. m.
Atlantic Express, daily	7.30 a. m.
Main Line Express, daily	8.00 a. m.
Buffalo Day Express, daily, for Buffalo	9.00 a. m.
Day Express, daily	12.05 p. m.
Mail Express, daily, for Baltimore and Washington	12.45 p. m.
Chicago Mail, daily for Baltimore and Washington	4.00 p. m.
Eastern Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York	4.55 p. m.
New York Express, daily	7.10 p. m.
Philadelphia and Washington Express, daily	8.00 p. m.
New York Express, daily for New York, Baltimore and Washington	10.00 p. m.
Philadelphia Special, daily, for Philadelphia only. Sleeping cars only	12.00 p. m.
Buffalo Night Express, daily, for Buffalo	11.50 p. m.

For Oil City, 6.25, 9.00 a. m., 1.30, 5.05 and 11.50 p. m. week-days, Sundays, 9.00 a. m., 5.05 and 11.50 p. m.

For Titusville and Oil City, 9.00 a. m. and 11.50 p. m. daily. For Titusville only, 4.55 p. m. week-days.

For DuBois, 6.25, 9.00 a. m., 1.30 and 5.05 p. m. week-days, Sundays, 9.00 a. m. and 5.05 p. m.

For Atlantic City, Through Sleeping Car, 10.00 p. m. daily.

For Connellsville and Uniontown, 1.05, 8.30 a. m., 12.30 and 5.00 p. m. week-days, 9.00 a. m. and 4.55 p. m. Sundays.

For Brownsville and Uniontown, 10.05 a. m., 4.40 p. m. week-days and 4.07 p. m. Sundays.

For Brownsville only, 6.15, 8.25, 8.35 a. m., 1.05, 3.35, 7.15 and 11.25 p. m. week-days, 1.05, 6.15 a. m., 1.05, 4.30 and 8.00 p. m. Sundays. For Washington, Pa., 6.15, 8.25, 8.35 a. m., 12.05, 3.35, 4.30, 7.15 and 11.25 p. m. week-days. For Waynesburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City and Belle Vernon, 6.15, 8.25, 12.05 a. m., 1.05, 3.35, 7.15, 11.25 p. m. Monongahela City, 7.35 and 11.35 a. m. week-days. Sunday 7.30, 9.50 a. m., 1.35, 4.30, 5.50 and 9.00 p. m.

For Butler, 5.35 and 6.55 p. m.

FROM ALLEGHENY:—

For Butler, 6.55, 8.30, 10.25 a. m., 2.25 and 5.45 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7.00 a. m., 1.30 p. m.

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BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD

(Eastern Standard Time.)

LINES EAST.	Depart.	Arrive.
Cumberland Accom'dn	* 2.20 pm	* 9.30 pm
Philadelphia Express	* 4.50 pm	* 1.10 am
Washington Express	* 8.00 am	* 7.40 pm
Cumb., Deer. & Piedmont	* 8.00 am	* 3.00 pm
West Newton Accom'dn	* 9.00 am	* 5.00 pm
Cumb., Wash. & Balt.	* 1.25 pm	* 9.30 pm
Cumb., Deer. & Piedmont	* 3.30 pm	* 10.00 pm
Connellsville Accom'dn	* 4.30 pm	* 9.30 am
Connellsville Accom'dn	* 4.50 pm	* 1.05 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg and Weston	† 9.00 pm	†12.30 pm
Philadelphia & New York	† 9.00 pm	†12.30 pm
(Dining and Sleeping Cars.)		
Connellsville Accom'dn	* 5.30 pm	* 9.30 am
Cumberland Express	* 7.00 pm	* 7.40 am
Chicago & Cleveland	* 7.00 pm	* 7.40 am
Chicago Limited	* 7.00 pm	* 7.40 am

(Leave Allegheny.)		
Butler	† 7.00 am	† 8.30 am
Butler, Foxburg, Kane	† 7.30 am	† 9.15 am
Butler, Parker, Kane	† 7.30 am	† 4.15 pm
Butler, Conn. Lake, Erie	† 7.30 am	† 4.15 pm
Butler	* 9.00 am	* 1.00 pm
Butler, Conn. Lake, Erie	* 1.30 pm	* 6.00 pm
Ellwood City	* 1.30 pm	* 6.00 pm
Butler, Parker, Greenville	* 1.30 pm	* 6.00 pm
Butler	* 5.05 pm	* 9.30 pm
Ellwood, New Castle	* 4.15 pm	* 8.40 pm
Butler, Foxburg	* 4.15 pm	* 8.40 pm
Butler	* 4.30 pm	* 9.30 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.

WABASH SYSTEM

Station, Corner Liberty Ave. and Ferry St. Central Time—†Daily | Depart. | Arrive.

Wheeling Express	*7.00 a. m.	9.50 a. m.
Toledo, St. L., Kan. City	*8.30 a. m.	6.00 p. m.
Wheel. Ex. except Sun.	4.00 p. m.	7.45 p. m.
Wheeling Spl., Ex. only	*4.00 p. m.	6.40 p. m.
St. L., Chi., Kan. City	*4.00 p. m.	6.00 a. m.

Pullman Sleepers and Free Reclining Chair cars on through trains. Cafe Parlor Car on Wheeling trains.
City Ticket Office, 360 Fifth Avenue.

BESSEMER & LAKE ERIE R. R.

Trains leave B. & O. depot, Allegheny (Eastern Standard Time, for Cleveland, 6.; Fitzgerald, Nicholville and Dunkirk 10.30 a. m., 2.30 and 11.50 p. m. For Greenville, Meadville, Grove City and Kanter at 1.15 a. m., 1.30 and 4.30 p. m. All other 7.00 a. m. For Greenville, Meadville, Grove City and Kanter at 1.15 a. m., 1.30 and 4.30 p. m. All other 7.00 a. m. For Greenville, Meadville, Grove City and Kanter at 1.15 a. m., 1.30 and 4.30 p. m. All other 7.00 a. m.

TRY GAZETTE CLASSIFIED ADS.

NEWS OF THE NEARBY TOWNS AND COUNTRY

MRS. M'KINLEY ASKS COURT TO REMOVE HER

Widow of Lamented President's Brother Does Not Care to Continue as Executrix.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

SOMERSET, PA., Sept. 12.—The McKinley estate controversy took a new turn this morning, when Mrs. Annie E. McKinley filed a petition asking to be removed as executrix. On June 2 the Seaboard National bank of New York city filed a petition asking for her removal. Among the reasons given by Mrs. McKinley for the requested removal is:

That your petitioner has settled the affairs of the said estate so far as it is possible to do so at this time and had filed her account of the same in the office of the register of wills of Somerset county. By reason of continuing ill health and change of residence it is inconvenient and burdensome for your petitioner to continue in said trust as executrix.

She asks that the Somerset Trust Company be appointed in her stead. In the answer filed by the Seaboard National bank, one of the creditors of the estate, the bank says:

We deny that Mrs. McKinley has settled the affairs of the estate as far as it is possible to do so at this time and aver that there are large sums of money justly and equitably belonging to the estate of said Abner McKinley, deceased, which have been received in part by Annie E. McKinley, and unjustly and unlawfully retained by her and not accounted for in the account filed by her as executrix and in part received by another or others, with the knowledge of the said Annie E. McKinley, and unjustly and unlawfully withheld from the estate of said Abner McKinley, deceased.

Exceptions are being filed on our behalf as creditors of the said estate to the said account of Annie E. McKinley, executrix, which more fully set forth the facts in this objection. The reason for vacation stated in said petition is denied as the true reason for the prayer of said petition, and we aver that the true reason prompting the said petitioner in the prayer of her petition is to escape the jurisdiction and control of this court, and to avoid responsibility as executrix of the said estate for large sums of money actually received by her, justly and equitably belonging to the estate of said Abner McKinley, and which she fails and neglects to account for and seeks to retain and appropriate to her own use.

The said creditors heretofore presented their petition to this court praying for the removal of Annie E. McKinley as executrix of said estate. Said Annie E. McKinley might be required to file her account as such executrix, and might be ordered to account to the estate of the said Abner McKinley for all the funds received by her from any and all life insurance policies issued upon the life of Abner McKinley and which policies or the insurance represented thereby was at any time payable to the estate of Abner McKinley, and which was thereafter altered to appear to be payable to the said Annie E. McKinley, upon which petition a rule to show cause was granted and is still pending in this court.

The said respondents believe that in no event would Annie E. McKinley be entitled to have the letters testamentary issued to her in said estate vacated, and that the said Annie E. McKinley is not entitled to any action by this court which would affect her responsibility to the estate of said Abner McKinley, and that when the time comes for the termination of the relation of said Annie E. McKinley to the said estate as executrix, she would not be entitled to nominate her successor to letters of administration upon the said estate.

Mrs. McKinley is represented by George R. Scull and John R. Scott of Somerset and the Seaboard National bank by Judge Samuel S. Mehard of Pittsburgh and William H. Koontz and John C. Ogle of Somerset.

BURIAL OF EXPLOSION VICTIMS AT UNIONTOWN

Clyde Wood Laid to Rest—Employes of Oriental Powder Company Go on a Strike.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

UNIONTOWN, PA., Sept. 12.—The funeral of Clyde Wood, aged 19, the only one of the Rand powder explosion victims who lived in Uniontown, took place this morning from St. John's Catholic church in Uniontown, the Rev. Father Glynn of Brownsville officiating. The interment was in Oak Grove cemetery.

The entire force of the Oriental Powder Company, numbering about 40 employes, went on strike this morning, asking for higher wages, which they claim will be more commensurate with their constant risk than the present scale. The Oriental plant is a branch of the trust. The explosion last Saturday at the Rand powder plant, less than two miles from the Oriental plant, is regarded as the indirect cause of the strike.

The relief fund for those who suffered from the explosion now reaches over $5,000.

Clarion County Fair Opens.

CLARION, PA., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—The twenty-third annual fair of Clarion county opened today, and although the weather was bad, the prospects are that this will be the largest fair ever held here. The races will be given tomorrow. In the 2.40 class there will be 15 starters, while it is expected that the track record will be broken in the 2:20 race.

Just Discovered He Was Injured.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Samuel Wolse of Leesburg, a coal miner, who says he has just discovered he was injured in the Western New York & Philadelphia wreck last Thursday, near Wilmington Junction, is now at the hospital here. The physicians are unable to find anything the matter with him.

Fairbanks to Open Campaign.

BELLEFONTAINE, O., Sept. 12.—United States Senator Charles Dick telegraphed today that Vice President Fairbanks will speak at the opening of the Republican campaign in this city, September 23. The other speakers, heretofore announced, are to be Gov. Herrick and United States Senator Foraker.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

John E. Eauershoff, Mary Zippenfield; Herman J. Kron, Ray Vatz; John Henderson, Martha Scotland; John McDonald, Hessie McCord; Robert White, Sallie Gentry; William J. Kirk, Mary Cunningham; Jerry Warren, Frances Allen; Charles F. Bartels, Ida M. Brown; R. A. Franz, Tressa E. Glockler; Benjamin Goldman, Fanny Potesman; all of Pittsburgh.

Michael Engelman, Clara Neumann; Matthew H. Ebert, Agnes S. Hopkins; H. C. Meyer, Ida M. Bertges; all of Allegheny.

Donald M. Dunbar, Anna M. Brown, Bakerstown.

Earl G. Arnold, Blanche Hart, Monessen.

Patrick Keck, Braddock, Mamie Carr, McKeesport; John H. Howenstein, Pittsburgh, Margaret A. Allen, Bunola; Leonard Speckmayer, McKeesport, Mary Petrie, Robinson township; William F. Felix, Wilkinsburg, Gertrude Scott, Braddock.

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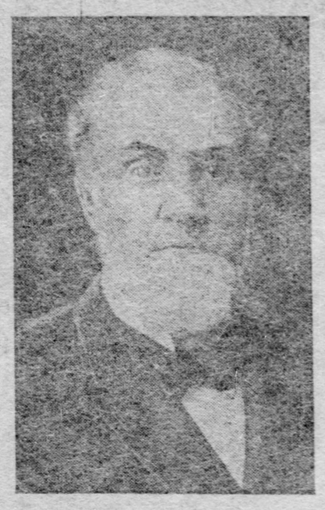
TWO FIGURES IN OLD-HOME CELEBRATION



JUDGE CHRISTOPHER HEYDRICK, Who Delivered an Address Yesterday.

MISS WALKER, A Teacher of Many Years' Experience Whose Pupils Will Hold a Reunion.

OLD TIMERS ARE NUMEROUS.

Centennial Feature Is Being Looked After in Franklin's Celebration. Several Meetings.

FRANKLIN, PA., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Special emphasis was given today to the centennial feature of the county anniversary and Franklin old-home week. Two public meetings were held in the court house. In the forenoon Hon. John S. McCalmont, of Washington, D. C., formerly Judge in this county, made an address on "The Bench of the Country." It was a history of the county courts. In the afternoon, "The Bar of the County" was the subject of a speech by Judge Christopher Heydrick of Franklin, formerly of the state supreme bench.

The official register today shows the old-timers of Franklin are flocking in by hundreds. Tonight they held a reminiscent meeting in the court house. The old-timers have asked that they be given a position in the industrial and automobile parade on Wednesday and Chief Marshall Wiley has assented. They will have a place of honor next to the military escorts.

EXPENSIVE TO KEEP OPEN.

Irwin Merchant Fined Heavily for Transacting Business on Sunday.

IRWIN, PA., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—It cost James Fellis, a Greek fruit dealer, $33 10 to do business last Sunday. On Saturday he notified the civic league that he would not close as had been requested under penalty of being prosecuted under the Sunday law. To make it as expensive as possible the organization placed representatives near the store and they secured as many names of customers as could be obtained for witnesses.

A warrant was sworn out and the witnesses were subpoenaed. One lives near McKeesport, one at Latrobe and one at Adamsburg. All appeared before Justice Howell this morning. Fellis was found guilty and was fined $4 and costs. The constable drew nearly $15 in fees and mileage, and the balance was made up in witness fees.

STRIKING PLUMBERS RETURN TO WORK

NEW CASTLE, PA., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—All the journeymen plumbers returned to work today in accordance with a settlement of the strike effected late last night between committees of the union and masters. Mutual concessions were made. Not more than two members of a firm are to handle tools and apprentices are not to be allowed to work alone until after serving three of their five-year terms. The wages are to remain as before the strike, $3 50 daily.

Allege Sabbath Desecration.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Fayette county has a "Blue Law" champion in the person of District Attorney Thomas H. Hudson. At his instance today Constable W. R. Cole of North Union township, preferred charges of Sabbath desecration against the management of Shady Grove park at Percy. Four warrants were issued. The park was but recently opened. It is said that it runs full blast on the Sabbath.

Well-Known Traveling Man Dies.

MONONGAHELA CITY, PA., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—George Allen, well-known as a traveling salesman, died here this evening. He represented the Allen Kirkpatrick Grocery Company of Pittsburgh for 18 years, and was well-known throughout Western Pennsylvania. He was treasurer of the Black Diamond Engineering Company of Monongahela. He is survived by five children, all of whom live here.

OHIO STREET RAILWAYS WILL CONSOLIDATE

Syndicate of Prominent Car Men Will Soon Control Two Lines and Their Branches.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WELLSVILLE, O., Sept. 12.—A consolidation of local street railway, electric lighting and other interests valued at between $3,000,000 and $4,000,000 is about to be affected.

The properties to be taken over are the East Liverpool & Wellsville street railway and its branches, the main line extending from the state line of Pennsylvania to the lower end of this city, about nine miles in all; the East Liverpool & Rock Springs street railway, operating between the former city and Chester, W. Va., and Rock Springs park; the lighting and power houses of the United Power Company in Wellsville and East Liverpool, and the East Liverpool Bridge Company.

A syndicate headed by the Hon. W. Carl Ely, a prominent street railway man of Buffalo, who is president of the American Street Railway association, has been negotiating for the properties and will take them over as soon as franchises for the necessary improvements and extensions can be secured from councils of the two cities. Ordinances have passed first reading in both councils giving rights of way for a double-track railway over principal streets in East Liverpool and Wellsville.

It is the intention of the syndicate to eventually continue the roads to Pittsburgh and Wheeling. General improvements will be made on the roadbeds, such as elimination of curves, etc.

Boy Kills His Younger Brother.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—While Benjamin Harris of Harris Ferry was employed at Wheeling and his wife was at a telephone arranging to visit him, their little son, Raymond, 10 years old, fired a 22-caliber target rifle, killing his little brother, aged three years. Raymond says the child ran in front of the gun just as he pulled the trigger.

The Delineator for October.

From the artistic viewpoint, as well as that of fashion, the October Delineator will keep the high standard it has attained as a woman's magazine. About 80 pages, many in color, are devoted to the styles of the month, additional space being devoted to the New York and Paris fashions, set forth with chic and individuality by Helen Berkeley-Loyd and Edouard La Fontaine. The literary side, household topics and special features are on an unusual plane of excellence.

Of widespread interest to parents, teachers and all who lead or follow in educational lines is an exceptional article "Education for Life Through Living," by William H. Maxwell, superintendent of New York city schools; needless to say, the information that comes from Dr. Maxwell's pen is the result of ripe experience and close observation.

Mr. Paine's story, "The Lucky Piece," holds the attention awakened by the preceding chapters, and the interest deepens as the denouement approaches; several short stories, "The Division Fence" and "The Call of the Bull-Bat," furnish interesting fiction.

Stories and pastimes for children include another chapter of "Son Riley Rabbit," that has delighted so many little ones, suggestions for Hallowe'en amusement, and other subjects of juvenile interest.

The third installment of Miss Winslow's "At Spinster Farm," exhales the freshness and fragrance of wood and meadow, at the same time appealing to the natural home-longing. N. Hudson Moore writes interestingly of old desks and secretaries, giving the hall-marks that enable the amateur to place them correctly; Allan Sutherland tells the history of "Onward, Christian Soldiers," the hymn that is the inspiration of the young; Clifton Johnson takes the reader across the wild coast of Devon into the wilder country that was Lorna Doone's.

The marketing of milk is a vital public question in that it deals with the health, and consequently the life, of the child; it is of deep interest to the city dweller, and his demands require the farmer or dairyman to observe hygenic laws in the production and marketing of milk. In this issue Mrs. Mary Hinman Abel discusses the milk question in various phases. The title of another article, "Club Women and the Food Question," shows something of how the campaign instituted in the interest of pure food, has spread. Dr. Grace Peckham Murray continues the discussion of "The Rights of the Child," telling of the importance of sleep. A timely subject is "Hardy Bulbs for Outdoor Planting," by Ward Macleod, indicating the many beautiful flowers to be had as a result of the autumn planting of bulbs. Recipes and household hints of all kinds round out a capital number.

MUSKINGUM CONFERENCE MAKES APPOINTMENTS

Sessions of Methodist Protestants Close at Steubenville—Changes Are Made.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

STEUBENVILLE, O., Sept. 12.—The Muskingum Methodist Protestant conference, which has just adjourned, made the following appointments:

Steubenville, George R. Miller; Mt. Pleasant, F. A. Brown; Toronto, W. E. Harrison; Smithfield, C. P. Allen; Empire, S. W. Rosenberger; Attica, C. E. Stockdale; Byesville, C. S. McGrath; Cambridge, C. E. Shepherd; Coshocton, W. L. Wells; Cardington, R. P. Huddnall; Lilleville, L. Bowen; Mt. Vernon, J. Alfred Selby; New Connerstown, D. G. Jackson; Pleasant Grove, S. T. Allen; Tiffin, C. S. Johnson; Ulrichsville, J. W. Rice; Wellsville, C. H. Beck; West Lafayette, S. S. Fisher; York, T. J. Wert; Zanesville, D. C. Coburn; Circuits, Belmont, D. E. Day and D. A. Chainey; Bucyrus, C. H. Ochelitree; Brownsville, D. C. Wees; Burlington, G. E. Hooper; Butler, D. L. Andrews; Belle Valle, E. M. Houghland; Columbia, C. B. Tuttle; Del Roy, G. L. Deihl; Hanover, B. G. Henderson; Lewisville, W. E. Fleter; Logan, A. R. Reed; Marshall, E. D. Beck; McConnellsville, M. R. Shuman; Mt. Carmel, R. C. Dean; Mt. Vernon, C. O. Harvey; Mt. Zion, F. M. Hurley; Otsego, O. V. Sharrock; Palermo, J. M. Wells; Pennsville, H. M. Maier; Pleasantville, H. M. Peebles; Plainfield, H. G. Lucas; Pleasant Grove, J. F. Cash; Pleasant Hill, A. E. Black and H. M. Longworth; Pleasant Valley, Henry Delay; Rennersville, F. P. Fryer; Rose Coe W. S. Carines; Roseville, T. J. Black; Sandusky, L. A. Clendidins, South Olive, Frank Neer; Stockdale, W. S. Murphy; Stockport, C. R. Bisdel; Union, J. M. McGregor; without appointment at own request; C. E. McMahmmen, O. V. W. Chandler, editor of Methodist Record; M. L. Jennings, president of West Lafayette college; S. S. Fisher, D. D., financial agent for Kansas City university; R. D. Shepherd; added to superannuated list, E. C. Cullien, professor at West Lafayette college; R. Z. Thomas, Ph. D.; transferred to unstationed list, O. S. B. Grumsley; dropped by vote of conference, W. S. Weri.

DESIRE AN AMALGAMATION.

Veterans of Foreign Service Holding Annual Encampment at Altoona—J. Lee Plummer to Speak.

ALTOONA, PA., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Delegates from all parts of the state representing the American Veterans of Foreign Service are arriving to attend the annual encampment, which will open here tomorrow. It is the purpose of the convention to bring about an amalgamation of the eastern and western sections of the order, the preliminary plans having been made at the annual session held last year in Allegheny.

The address of welcome will be delivered by Mayor S. H. Walker and the response by National Commander James Romanis, of the western division. Addresses will also be delivered by Hon. Martin Bell, and J. Lee Plummer, of Hollidaysburg, and Past National Commander Robert S. Hansbury of Philadelphia.

Aged Lady Passes Away.

GREENSBURG, PA., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Margaret Dickie Miller, aged 88 years, mother of John D. Miller, president of the Merchants and Farmers' bank of this place, died last night at her home in Hempfield township. She was a member of the First Presbyterian church of this place. She leaves besides her son four daughters.

Arm Torn from Its Socket.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—John Zeffetere, an Italian, died in the City hospital as the result of injuries received by being caught in the shafting of an engine at the Ohio Silica Company's plant last night. His arm was torn from the socket.

The Death Roll

Prof. John McAfee Moore.

Prof. John McAfee Moore, aged 72, who had been a teacher in the schools of Westmoreland, Fayette and Indiana counties for over 50 years, died in the Mt. Pleasant hospital yesterday morning. He was born in Tarentum May 19, 1833, and was the son of John and Matilda McAfee Moore. He was educated in Eldersridge academy and old Jefferson college, afterward taking a course in the Western Theological seminary. He was a nephew of the late Hon. James R. McAfee, at one time deputy secretary of the commonwealth, and a brother of the late Rev. Dr. William P. Moore. He is survived by one brother, Elder D. Moore of East Liverpool. Funeral services will be held in the Presbyterian church in Latrobe, Pa., tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock, and interment will follow in Unity cemetery, near Beatty station.

Mrs. Jane Minor Day.

Mrs. Jane Minor Day died at her home in Waynesburg, Pa., yesterday. She came from one of the pioneer families of that section of the state. Her husband, W. G. W. Day, who died some years ago, was the founder of the Waynesburg Republican, which he conducted until the time of his death. He also was a descendant of one of the early families of Greene county, and a brother of Lewis Day, now a resident of the East End, this city. It was through his energy and public spirit that Greene county finally got out of the woods through the construction of the Washington & Waynesburg railroad. Mr. Day will be remembered by the older newspaper men of Pittsburgh. Mrs. Day leaves three children. Her funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Anna R. Holland.

Anna R. Holland, aged 25, daughter of Henry and Elizabeth Holland, died yesterday afternoon at her home, 316 Fifth avenue extension, after a brief illness. Her mother, who was in ill health, is completely prostrated by her daughter's death and is confined to her bed under the care of a physician. Miss Holland was born in Freedom, Pa., but has lived in this city for the past 12 years. She is survived by her parents, a brother, Paul, and two sisters, Mrs. Howard Bradt of this city and Miss Mable Holland, at home.

William Tresidder.

William Tresidder, one of the best known residents of the First ward, Allegheny, died yesterday at his residence, 827 Rebecca street. He was born in England in 1836, and came to this country 40 years ago, settling in Allegheny. He was a stovefitter by occupation, and a member of Shuckrath lodge No. 493, F. and A. M., James L. Graham lodge No. 636, I. O. O. F., and Lorena lodge Knights of Pythias. He is survived only by his wife. The funeral will be held from the residence Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

William W. Burchfield.

William Warnecastle Burchfield, aged 34, son of Charles E. and Margaret Burchfield, died Monday night at his home, Creighton road, Crafton, Pa. He was born in Findlay township and was, until his retirement owing to ill health three years ago, a partner in the grocery firm of Spohn & Burchfield. He is survived by his widow, Bernice Smith Burchfield, his father and mother, and a sister, Mrs. A. D. Stewart of Imperial, Pa.

Mrs. Elizabeth McElroy.

Mrs. Elizabeth McElroy, aged 73, died Monday at the home of her son, William C. McElroy, at Irwin. She was the mother of 13 children, eight sons and five daughters. The sons are William, Thomas, Charles and C. M. McElroy of Irwin; Robert B. and John C. McElroy of Pittsburgh; James D. McElroy of Saunders station, and J. C. McElroy of Braddock. The daughters are Mrs. Hill of Wilkinsburg; Mrs. Loughrey of Brushton; Mrs. Cameron of Indiana; Mrs. Warner of Monroeville and Mrs. McFarren of Irwin.

Miss Frances Coll.

Miss Frances Coll, principal of the Ralston school, died yesterday at her home, 1727 Penn avenue, from typhoid fever. She had been principal of Ralston school for about two years and had been a resident of the Tenth ward practically all her life.

Obituary Notes.

Edward Andrew, aged 67, of 715 Scott street, McKeesport, died yesterday from heart disease. He was born in England and had been a resident of McKeesport many years. He is survived by his wife and seven children.

Anton Speas, aged 68, died Monday night at his home, 168 Carver street, after three months' illness. He was born in Germany and had lived in this city 56 years. He leaves one son, Charles, and three daughters, Mrs. Frederick Henninger, Mrs. Mary Aslinger and Mrs. Emma Brown.

Judge T. J. Simmons, chief justice of the supreme court of Georgia, died yesterday at his home in Atlanta, Ga. Death was the result of a complication of troubles from which Judge Simmons had been suffering for several weeks. He was 65 years of age.

Mrs. Mary Jane English, aged 65, wife of Daniel English, died yesterday at the Mercy hospital from an operation. She was a daughter of Daniel Aron of Clarion county, and formerly lived at Brookville, Pa. She was a member of the Sacred Heart Roman Catholic church, and leaves besides her husband four sons and four daughters.

Ada Ruth Jamison, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Jamison, among the most prominent residents of Apollo, died last evening from peritonitis, aged 15 years. She is survived by her parents and two brothers, Roy and Martin Jamison, at Westminster college.

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DIED.

BURCHFIELD—On Monday, September 11, 1905, at 9:30 p. m., WILLIAM W., beloved husband of Bessie Burchfield (nee Smith).

Funeral services at the family home, Creighton road, Crafton, Pa., Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private Thursday at 10 a. m.

COLL—On Tuesday, September 12, 1905, at 1 p. m., FRANCES S., daughter of John and Hannah Coll (nee Kelly).

Funeral from the family residence, 1727 Penn avenue, on Friday, September 15, at 8:30 a. m. Solemn requiem mass at St. Patrick's church, at 9 a. m. Friends of the family and Branch 266, L. C. B. A. and sister branches are respectfully invited to attend.

[East Los Angeles, San Francisco, Philadelphia and Wilmington (Del.) papers please copy.]

EDGE—On Monday, September 11, 1905, at 1:10 p. m., at her residence, Grove street, East McKeesport, MARY A. EDGE (nee Powers), wife of Albert Edge, aged 39 years.

Mass of requiem Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Aloysious' church, Wilmerding, Pa. Interment in Monongahela cemetery, Braddock, Pa. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

FRASER—On Monday, September 11, 1905, at 5:40 a. m., ROBERT B. FRASER, aged 72 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, 834 Collins avenue, East End, Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

GARRISON—Suddenly, on Monday, September 11, 1905, at 5:30 p. m., CHARLES SCOTT, infant son of Charles S. and Willa E. Garrison, aged 6 months.

Funeral services at the family home, 6824 Kelly street, East End, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

HOLLAND—On Tuesday, September 12, 1905, at 8 p. m., ANNA ROBENA, daughter of Henry L. and Elizabeth Holland, aged 25 years.

Funeral services at the family home, 316 Fifth avenue extension, East End. Time will be given later.

TRESIDDER—On Tuesday, September 12, 1905, at 12:55 p. m., WILLIAM TRESIDDER, aged 55 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, 827 Rebecca street, Allegheny, on Friday at 2 p. m., to which members of Shuckrath lodge 493, F. and A. M. and James L. Graham lodge 636, I. O. O. F. and Lorena lodge 138, K. of P. and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WITHERSPOON—On Monday, September 11, 1905, at 8:30 a. m., WILLIAM CUYLER, at the residence of his father, the Rev. J. W. Witherspoon, 1705 Buena Vista street, Allegheny, aged 22 years 8 months.

Funeral services at the Fifth United Presbyterian church, Irwin avenue, Allegheny, on Wednesday, September 13, 1905, at 2 o'clock.

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Others up to $10.00.
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Boys' Sailor Blouse Suits—5 to 10 years—all-wool Navy Blue Serge, sailor collar embroidered with silk stars, shield embroidered with anchor and bars—double-breasted with two rows of brass buttons and silk scarf—bloomer trousers and lined throughout, $5.00—others $3.50 to $10.00.
Extra good Suit—all-wool dark mixture, double-breasted jacket and knee pants—also double-breasted pleated Norfolk Suit with knickerbocker trousers, $3.50
Same Suit, two pairs of pants, $5.00—other Suits up to $15.00.
The new Vestee Suits are very pretty—made plain coat, buttoned to neck, cut away just enough to show buttons on vest front—white linen eton collar with silk bow—bloomer style trousers—vest with pockets—Serge, Cheviot and Velvet—sizes 4 to 8 years, $5.00 to $10.00.

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LUNA TODAY AT 2. TONIGHT AT 8. THE KILTIES BAND. GRAND CAKE-WALK. Thurs.—Station Night. Matinee 25 Cts.

BLOODSHED RUNS RIOT IN TIFLIS

Twenty-Three Persons Are Killed and Fifty Wounded by Cossack Soldiers.

TARTARS CALL TO HOLY WAR

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

TIFLIS, CAUCASIA, Sept. 12.—Many Social Democrats were killed or wounded last night in a conflict with Cossacks at the town hall, and many were trampled to death in a subsequent panic. Two thousand Social Democrats had forced an entrance into the town hall which was closed, owing to the celebration of a religious holiday. Revolutionary speeches were made, and the chief of police ordered the meeting to disperse.

Part of those present obeyed, but the remainder refused and some revolvers were fired. A large force of Cossacks, drawn up outside the building, then fired a volley into the crowd time and time again. In the ensuing panic many persons fell and were trampled to death.

According to the official account, the crowd was roughly handled by the commissary of police, whereupon the third company of the Poltava regiment was summoned. The commander of the company ordered the demonstrators to disperse, promising not to arrest them if they obeyed.

Shots were then fired on the Cossacks, not only from the town hall but from the court yard and the street. A number of rioters assembled in a neighboring house, broke through a wall leading to the hall and opened fire with revolvers on the Cossacks and police, wounding a Cossack and a policeman. The Cossacks thereupon fired on the rioters. Official figures give the casualties as 23 killed and 50 wounded.

Serious developments have arisen in connection with the death of Gen. Prince Amilokhovri, formerly governor general of Baku, whose body is now lying in a house in the vicinity of Tiflis. The prince was regarded with bitter hatred owing to the harsh measures which he adopted when he was sent on a special mission to pacify the Caucasus, and the revolutionaries threaten the local priests with death if they attempt to offer prayers over the body. No one dare approach the house. Troops have been dispatched to bring the remains to Tiflis, and it is feared there will be disorders at the funeral.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 12.—A holy war has been proclaimed in the Caucasian districts of Zangezur and Jebrail, where Tartars are massacring the Armenians without distinction of sex or age. The country is swarming with bands of Tartars under the leadership of their chiefs, and many thousands of Tartar horsemen have crossed the Perso-Russian frontier and joined the insurgents in destroying Armenian villages. At the village of Minkend 300 Armenians were slaughtered. Dispatches say that mutilated children were thrown to the dogs and that the few survivors were forced to embrace Islamism in order to save their lives.

The latest advices from Baku say firing continues in the outskirts of the "Black town" quarter and that the rioters are committing acts of incendiarism and plunder at Balakhan. Many factories in the Volga provinces have already been closed owing to lack of fuel. The workmen there are very much excited and disorders are anticipated.

The managers of private banks in St. Petersburg have been invited to attend at the ministry of finance tomorrow to discuss measures to be taken in connection with the riots at Baku.

LARGE ADDITIONS SOON TO RIVERVIEW PARK

Public Works Committee of Allegheny Councils Considers a Great Number of Ordinances.

The public works committee of Allegheny councils last night referred to the sub-committee on parks the measures providing for the purchase of 11½ acres of ground from the Marshall heirs, and appropriating $15,000 for that purpose. The tract is to be added to Riverview park.

A resolution to pay to Robert Caskey $59 for time lost because of injuries received while on duty was approved after some debate. Thomas McHenry declared both the mayor and the director of public works had dodged when asked if the money should be paid to Caskey. These ordinances were approved:

Grading, paving and curbing Superior avenue, Harrison avenue, Cottage avenue, Osgood street, Woodland avenue and Radner street; grading the upper end of Irwin avenue, Home street and Orleans street; regrading and repaving East street from Madison avenue to Royal street, Irwin avenue from North avenue to Ellsworth avenue, Washington avenue from St. Marks place to the Ft. Wayne railroad, and St. Clair terrace; grading and macadamizing Riverview avenue; sewers on Marble alley, Rodney street, Colfax and Winifred streets, Summer and Winifred streets, Zang alley, Allegheny avenue and Pennsylvania avenue; grading and curbing Gerber avenue; for laying flagstone sidewalks on Carrie street; grading Central park where necessary on account of the changes of street grades due to the railway work, completing the driveway from Marshall avenue to Riverview park, and repairing Lafayette street, Twelfth ward, out of the bond money.

STARTS A GLASS FACTORY.

Old Window Organization Has a Bradford Plant in Partial Operation.

A satisfactory start was made yesterday in the factory of the Tuna Window Glass Company at Bradford, by the old window glass workers' organization. The factory was operated at one-half capacity yesterday, and it is expected to be going full by the end of the week.

The Pennsylvania Window Glass Company at Kane is operating eight of the shops, the opposition of the new organization having been effective enough, so far, to prevent the factory running in full. James J. Towey, of the Window Glass Snappers' association, who was in Pittsburgh yesterday, said that the scale is being generally paid and that he is satisfied.

THREW A DOG INSTEAD OF CHILD INTO OVEN

UNIONTOWN, PA., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—The report that a foreigner had thrown one of his children into a blazing coke oven at Lemont was sent in this morning to County Detective Alex. McBeth, but investigation proved it was a dog instead of a child. Information was then made by Humane Officer Charles M. Fee against Martin Barbic on a charge of cruelty to animals.

TRIBUTE TO THE MEMORY OF A BELOVED PASTOR

As a tribute to the memory of the late Rev. Father James Nolan, who was the pastor of St. Peter's Roman Catholic congregation in McKeesport when the church was dedicated 30 years ago yesterday, the members have decided to place a costly memorial window. For 25 years Father Nolan devoted his energies to upbuilding the congregation. The parish has now 1,500 families and is second in size to St. Paul's.

An Old Favorite Coming Back.

Lew Dockstader and his minstrel company return for a week's engagement at the Nixon theater, beginning next Monday. An entire new program is this year's promise. The company is said to number in the neighborhood of 100 people, including the favorite comedians Neil O'Brien, Carroll Johnson, John King, Watt Keefe, Manuel Romain and many others. The advance sale of seats opens tomorrow.

Will Pat Crowe Surrender?

LINCOLN, NEB., Sept. 12.—Pat Crowe, who has been wanted for several years on a charge of kidnaping the little son of Edward Cudahy of Omaha, was in Lincoln yesterday, and talked for half an hour with Richard Metcalfe, associate editor of the Commoner. He disappeared just before the police heard of his presence here.

Mr. Metcalfe said Crowe had declared his intention of surrendering.

New Songs.
See our Ad. on page 10.
The S. Hamilton Co.

MAN WITH MATRIMONIAL RECORD WILL TRY AGAIN

RICHMOND, VA., Sept. 12.—Ninety years old, six times married and the father of 44 children, with grandchildren galore, Jacob Kinney of Henry county today secured a license to take a seventh bride. The woman of his choice is Ann Green, a widow, who admits having passed the 60th mile post.

The old man, who has been a widower for some time, says that he feels the need of a helpmate.

CHURCH FEDERATION WILL MAKE STATEMENT

Allegheny Organization to Make Public Its Plans on Graft and Politics.

Within the next few days the Federation of Allegheny churches will make public a statement of its political intentions and what further will be done in the prosecution of the pending graft cases.

The executive committee met last night in the chapel of the Allegheny Theological Seminary in North avenue, the Rev. Dr. W. H. McMillan of the Second United Presbyterian church presiding. The scope of the work contemplated was discussed and a plan of procedure determined upon. The draft of the statement prepared was so voluminous that a sub-committee composed of Dr. J. D. McClenahan and Harvey Henderson was appointed to condense it. This work will be taken up today and it is expected the announcement will be made public this week.

Resolutions commendatory of the work done by District Attorney Stewart and Attorneys Marron and Haymaker were passed.

Mr. Marron said yesterday that he hoped to start actively upon the further prosecution of the graft cases during the coming week. He declares that every person so far indicted in connection with the crusade in Allegheny will be taken into court.

"It would not be right," said Mr. Marron "to bring a lot of women in here who have broken the law, get from them what information we could, and then drop the cases. That would be impeding justice. We started out in earnest with every case that has been acted upon in any way by the juries and the court, and every case will be disposed of as quickly as possible. When we started the investigation it was the hardest thing in the world to get the information we wanted. Now it comes to us every day. There are some of those who were prominent in this affair last year who are no longer in the city, but their absence will not affect us in any way. We will have no trouble in getting witnesses in all our cases.

"I don't understand why no sentence has been handed down in the Striepeke case. The reason for so much delay is not clear either to me or Mr. Haymaker. The appeal of Capt. James Wilson will be heard by the superior court at its sitting in Philadelphia next month. We expect the conviction and sentence to be confirmed."

ONLY THREE DIE FROM FEVER IN NEW ORLEANS

Among New Cases Is United States Civil Engineer—Man With the Scourge in Michigan.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 12.—The yellow fever up to 6 p. m. today was as follows: New cases, 43; total to date, 2,870; deaths, 3; total, 319; new disease centers, 12; cases under treatment, 314; cases discharged, 1,737.

The only name on the list of new cases today that is of special note is that of H. S. Douglass, a United States civil engineer, who is stationed at the mouth of the river, supervising certain work in progress there.

JACKSON, MISS., Sept. 12.—The Mississippi yellow fever summary tonight, is as follows: Mississippi City, six new cases; Gulfport, Natchez and Vicksburg, each one.

MENOMINEE, MICH., Sept. 12.—Health officials announced today, that John Howe of Marinetta, who is ill at his home, after a sojourn in the south, is suffering from yellow fever. The patient probably will recover. Physicians declare there is no danger of infection.

WILL PAY SPECIALS.

Extra Patrolmen in Allegheny to Get Their Warrants Today.

Controller Brown of Allegheny will today pay the special policemen whose warrants have been held up since the first of the month. He had a talk with Director Scandrett yesterday afternoon and said everything had been satisfactorily explained to him.

Brown's contention was that more men had been appointed on the police force than provided for by councils, and for this reason he could not pay the 29 recently put on the public safety payroll. Director Scandrett proved that in no month have there been more than 95 men employed as patrolmen in the police bureau and never has the bureau appropriation been overdrawn. This was all Brown wanted to be assured of, and he said at once the men would be paid.

He was asked regarding the civil service board that has never been established in Allegheny, and replied:

"That is no affair of mine. The law provides that such a board should be in operation in cities of the second class, but I think it is the duty of councils to see to its enforcement when the mayor does not."

HEAD NURSE AT WEST PENN HOSPITAL HAS RESIGNED

Miss Elizabeth Hanson, who has been superintendent of nurses at the West Penn hospital for the last two years, has resigned her position and will leave the hospital at the end of the present month. Miss Hanson's resignation is said to be the result of dissatisfaction among the physicians of the hospital staff with her work as directress. Miss Reid of this city and a niece of the late Rev. Dr. W. J. Reid, former pastor of the First United Presbyterian church, Oakland, has been selected to fill the vacancy and will assume her duties at the hospital October 1.

WEST POINT CADETS RECEIVE PARDONS

WEST POINT, N. Y., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—In a special order published at supper tonight, all cadets enduring punishment for breach of discipline have been pardoned by Superintendent General Mills. The issuing of this order is a result of M. Witte's visit to the academy yesterday and is given at his personal request as a compliment to the distinguished envoys.

AMERICAN BISHOP TO CARRY POPE'S MESSAGE

Pius Sends the Rt. Rev. William H. O'Donnell of Maine on Mission to the Mikado.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PORTLAND, MAINE, Sept. 12.—Bishop William H. O'Connell of the Roman Catholic diocese of Maine will leave here Thursday for Japan on a special mission on behalf of Pope Pius X.

ROME, Sept. 12.—In connection with the forthcoming visit to Tokyo of Bishop William H. O'Connell of the diocese of Maine, as special envoy of the pope to the emperor of Japan, it is now known the appointment of such a representative has been in contemplation for a long time. It was thought that the Japanese people could never be converted individually, but would have to be Christianized, if at all, by diplomatic methods.

At present the Catholic church in Japan is suffering from the imputation that it is a French institution, and France, being the ally of Russia, the church comes in for a share of popular disfavor. To counteract this it was suggested that the pope should come forward as a sovereign and appoint a representative at Tokyo, at the same time requesting the Japanese government to appoint a minister to the vatican. The suggestion was well received by his holiness.

It was at first believed Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul would be sent to Japan, but the honor has fallen on Bishop O'Connell, who is in high favor at the vatican. The selection of an American for such a mission is considered evidence of the friendship entertained by the pope for the people of the United States, such missions being usually entrusted to Italians.

TARIFF LAWS MUST BE BROUGHT UP TO DATE

The New York Sun Indorses the Position of The Gazette on Revision of Schedules.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The New York Sun fully indorses the position of The Pittsburgh Gazette in the matter of tariff revision. This morning it displayed The Gazette editorial of Friday on its editorial page, and in its leading editorial makes the following comment:

All around we observe indications of the depth and the strength of the public sentiment in favor of modernizing the protective tariff, and that at the very next session of congress.

Curiously enough, one of the most striking expressions of urgent anxiety that the schedules shall be revised by the Fifty-ninth congress, a safely Republican and surely protectionist body, proceeds from a venerable and ever loyal protectionist journal, published in Pittsburgh, the citadel town of the stronghold state of the protectionist faith. The significant article which we reprint from the Pittsburgh Gazette will be read with interest.

When we style the revision now impending "Roosevelt revision," we mean only that it was the president himself who first taught protectionists, in his two annual messages of 1901 and 1902, to understand the changing nature of the nation's needs and to perceive clearly the distinction between the stability of the protective principle and the fossilization of its practical details as contained in the schedules.

TAFT PARTY IN PEKIN.

Miss Roosevelt Is the Guest of Minister Rockhill and Family During Her Visit in Capital.

PEKIN, Sept. 12.—Maj.-Gen. Corbin, Rear Admiral Train, Miss Roosevelt, and other members of their party arrived here this evening. They were met by American Minister Rockhill and his wife, Baron Mumm de Schwarzenstein, Wu Ting Fang, vice president of the Chinese board of foreign affairs, Liang Tang and other notables. Miss Roosevelt is the guest of Minister Rockhill and family, and Baron Mumm de Schwartzenstein is entertaining several of the visitors.

Capt. Harry Lee of the United States Marine corps, with three officers and 100 marines, has arrived here, displacing Capt. Brewster's company of the Ninth Infantry, forming the American Legation guard.

COUNCIL CONDEMNED.

Sharpsburg City Fathers Find Opposition to Granting Railroad Franchise.

The action of Sharpsburg council regarding the proposed ordinance giving the Pennsylvania railroad property on the Allegheny river front, was condemned last night by the Republican committee of the Third district of Sharpsburg.

The committee recommended that council take no further action until the ordinance has had careful consideration. It was resolved to call a joint meeting of the Citizens party and Republicans of the Third and Fourth districts to be held in town hall tonight to plan an indignation meeting for some night this week.

STATE DEPARTMENT HAS CZAR'S TARIFF UKASE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—A copy of the Russian ukase presented by M. Witte to President Roosevelt, removing discriminating duties on American imports, which grew out of the imposition of a countervailing duty on Russian sugar by the American government, has been received at the state department. The document removes the discriminating duties on nearly everything on which the maximum tariff had been levied by Russia.

Assistance in Road Building.

Petitions were received from Oakdale authorities and the Leet township commissioners asking the county commissioners to assist in road improvements under the new state road law, whereby the state bears two-thirds of the cost and the county and municipality the balance. The petitions were yesterday favorably acted upon.

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EXTEND OPTION ON CHURCH SITE

Third United Presbyterians Give County 60 Days in Which to Purchase Property.

WANT $350,000 FOR THE LOT

Allegheny county has secured an extension of 60 days on its option to purchase the property of the Third United Presbyterian church in Diamond street for $350,000. It is probable the sale will be consummated.

A couple of months ago the commissioners were given an option, which expires on September 15. It was found the board would not be able to decide whether it wanted to make the purchase in the time specified and an extension was asked for. The trustees of the church yesterday extended the option 60 days.

Commissioner Price said yesterday that if an extension of a couple of months could be got he thought it probable the county would buy the property. The commissioners want an opportunity to consult with the judges. As many of the members of the bench were absent from the city during the summer, their advice could not be obtained.

The church has a frontage of about 100 feet in Diamond street and a depth of 119 feet. It adjoins the old university property, which is owned by the county. The university plot is about the same size as the church lot. If the ground is purchased it will be used for a court house annex. There is still some talk of the county buying other property in the same block and the 60 days will give the commissioners time to reach a decision on this matter. The price of $2,950 a foot front for the church site is considered to be a very good one.

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PITTSBURGH NOW ALL CLEANED UP

Dr. Warren and Agent H. L. Banzoff Go After Philadelphia Oleo and Meat Offenders.

INDIGNANTLY DENY GRAFT

Indignant denial of the rumors of graft, and the assertion that "Mr. Banzoff has succeeded in cleaning up Pittsburgh" of offenders against the colored oleo and artificial meat-preservative offenders, were made by Dr. B. H. Warren, the head of the State Dairy and Food commission, in an interview published in Philadelphia yesterday.

Agent H. L. Banzoff has been transferred temporarily to Philadelphia, and suit has been entered there against Frederick M. Hall, the local manager of Swift & Co. This is but the start in Philadelphia, Dr. Warren says, but at the same time he does not intend to let Pittsburgh conditions revert to their former state. In the course of his talk, Dr. Warren said:

The story that the department has been bucked up on bad meat and oleo through the liberal distribution of graft will be beat contradicted by the action of the department. Mr. Banzoff has succeeded in cleaning up Pittsburgh, and after it was demonstrated to me that his work had been exceedingly well done there I determined to bring him here so as to go after the worst poisoners and the fraudulent oleo dealers.

I challenge the beef trust or any other concern to give me the evidence that any person connected with the department has taken any money for the purpose of protecting any violator of the pure food law or the oleo law. I will pledge to send any member of the department to jail who has done any grafting and will pay all the expenses of such prosecution willingly, and I will publicly thank any person who will aid me in landing any grafter behind the prison bars.

These stories I have good reasons to believe come from agents of the beef and oleo trusts, and if they are honest in their intentions they will come forward and help me clean out the grafters, if there are any such in the department. This much I declare, the fight is on in earnest, and having obtained the co-operation of the federal officials through the instrumentality of President Roosevelt, I make the assertion that every concern that uses artificial preservatives in fresh meat and that sells oleomargarine colored in imitation of butter will have to answer to the courts.

Mr. Banzoff said:

When I reported to Dr. Warren that both the oleo and the meat preservative violators in Pittsburgh had practically been driven out of the market he asked me if I would take up the fight in Philadelphia, with the understanding that as soon as it was discovered that the old violators were back in business in Pittsburgh I should be given the opportunity to go back there. I consented to aid him in driving the offenders out of Philadelphia as thoroughly as they are now knocked out in Pittsburgh and that section of the state.

The reports that we have given up out in the western part of the state are not only false, but will make us as active as ever as soon as we get the slightest inkling that Pittsburgh, which for years has been the haven of the oleo trust, is again being worked by these offenders, and we will start the fights all over again.

Lies and aspersions will not deter us from battling as hard as we know how, and we give the enemy warning that we are on his trail and he will have to fight to the last ditch. The talk of graft is only subterfuge, and will not avail. The oleo fraud and the preserver of fresh meats with poisonous stuff will land in jail if we can get him there, and our record shows that we can.

We have collected thousands of dollars in fines in the Pittsburgh district alone in the past few months, and the war will be carried on just as fearlessly in all other sections as out west.

CHOLERA CASE APPEARS IN A GERMAN REGIMENT

Soldiers Are Promptly Placed Under Quarantine—Three Deaths in the Bromberg District.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

BERLIN, Sept. 12.—The official bulletin issued today announced that eight new cases of cholera and three deaths had been reported during the 24 hours ended at noon today, making a total of 166 cases and 61 deaths.

GRAUDENZ, PRUSSIA, Sept. 12.—A man belonging to the Fourth regiment of Uhlans died here today of cholera. The regiment was promptly quarantined.

BROMBERG, PRUSSIA, Sept. 12.—Three deaths from cholera occurred in this administrative district today.

DAMAGES WILL BE HEAVY.

Wilkinsburg Councils Moving Slowly in the Matter of Abolishing Crossings at Grade.

Wilkinsburg council last evening received the report of the committee appointed to consider the plans of the Pennsylvania railroad for the elevation and depression of tracks at street crossings, and decided that before taking further action the city engineer should draw up an estimate of the cost of grade and damage to property.

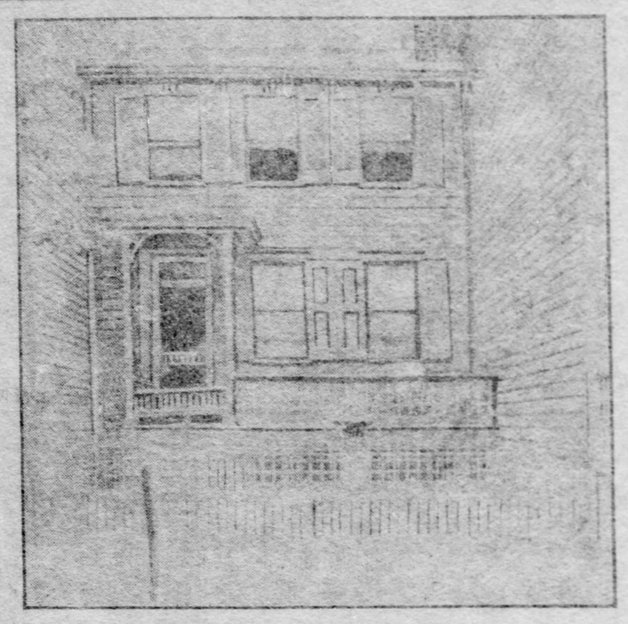
G. W. Snyder, Jr., engineer for the Pennsylvania, demanded that the borough assume all responsibility as to property damage. While the Pennsylvania railroad would make the desired changes to suit the borough, he claimed the burden of property damage should be defrayed by the borough. A conservative estimate places the amount of property damage at $200,000.

The matter will be taken up again as soon as the borough engineer submits his report.

Du Bois Company Incorporated.

DOVER, DEL., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—A certificate of incorporation was filed here today for the Houston & Irwin company of Du Bois, Pa., to buy, sell and deal in wagons, buggies and carriages of all kinds. The incorporators are J. M. Irwin, S. C. Husteed, Dubois; A. M. McClain, Ridgway, Pa. The capital stock is $20,000.

STEEL KING BUYS BACK BOYHOOD HOME IN FIRST WARD, ALLEGHENY



WHERE HENRY PHIPPS LIVED AS A BOY.

Henry Phipps, the multi-millionaire steel king, has bought back his boyhood home in Allegheny. The modest old red frame house at 805 Rebecca street has been out of the Phipps family for more than a quarter of a century, but its associations are as dear to the man it sheltered in youth as if they had been memories of yesterday. On this account Mr. Phipps a few days ago authorized a local real estate firm to buy the property, which is within sight of all his other benefactions in the First ward.

The house is at least 50 years old—that is, what remains of the original Phipps homestead, which is really little but the foundations and the four walls. Twenty-five years ago George Lucky bought the property from Henry Phipps, Sr., and has occupied it since as a home. He has remodeled and refinished the house, so that the interior would hardly be recognizable to any member of the Phipps family. But the exterior still bears the familiar appearance of the boyhood home of two generations ago, when the steel king was a barefoot boy playing along the Allegheny river front. In front of the house, which sets back some 10 feet from the street, Henry Phipps, father of the famous manufacturer and financier, had a small frame shop where he pegged shoes for a living. The property had not been occupied by the Phipps family for some time before Mr. Lucky bought it, the elder Phipps having gone to live with one of his children.

Mr. Phipps' purchase was not only to satisfy a long-felt desire to possess his old home, but also to commemorate it in a way that would be of lasting benefit to the neighborhood for which he is doing so much. With this end in view it is said he will provide a little park here and establish a fountain square. Mr. Phipps already owns all of the next square of property above this, where are his playgrounds and where his 200 tenements to house 1,000 people are being built. Across the corner from the latter property is the Phipps gymnasium, bath and washhouse, where the residents of the First ward go daily in large numbers to make use of the benefits provided them free or for a nominal price.

SHOT BY PHIPPS BOYS.

JOHN FRASER,

The Scottish sillie, who was mistaken for a poacher and injured by shots fired by the two sons of Henry Phipps.

BIG CROWD AT OPENING OF NEW CLUB ROOMS

Pittsburgh Board of Trade Dispenses Hospitality to 700 Visitors—Music and Speeches.

Fully 700 members and their invited friends registered last night at the formal opening of the clubrooms of the Pittsburgh board of trade, in Shady avenue, East End. Three large rooms, the auditorium on the second floor, the billiard parlor on the first floor and the bowling alleys in the basement were thrown open to the visitors and the hospitality was further dispensed in the form of fragrant cigars, a constantly replenished punch bowl, music and speeches. The rooms were tastefully decorated with palms and potted plants.

The directors acted as the reception committee. The auditorium, which comfortably accommodates 500 persons, was taxed beyond its seating capacity. Attorney J. H. Harrison was master of ceremonies, and introduced the two speakers, the Rev. Allen Douglass Carlile and Daniel Ashworth. The address of the former on the topic, "The Pace That Kills," was forceful and replete with funny stories.

Mr. Ashworth spoke eloquently on the subject, "Honor or Purity in Public Affairs," citing that greed and corruption were the greatest evils of present American life in the nation, state and city.

BERRY WILL CUT OUT PROHIBITION MEETINGS

Candidate for State Treasurer to Make But Six Speeches for Temperance.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

HARRISBURG, Sept. 12.—William H. Berry, Democratic-Prohibition candidate for state treasurer, will speak at only six Prohibition meetings in his campaign tour of the state.

Berry's itinerary was completed today by Democratic State Chairman Hall after consultation with Prohibition State Chairman McCalmont. Berry will begin his tour next Monday at Doylestown and will conclude it on October 28 at York. He will visit 27 counties and all the meetings at which he will speak, except six, will be under the direction of Chairman Hall.

Meetings have been arranged for Berry every night next week except Tuesday. He will speak at Harrisburg on Wednesday, Newport, Thursday; Lancaster, Friday, and Norristown, Saturday. The Harrisburg meeting will be under Prohibition auspices and it is probable that Dr. Swallow, the party's nominee for president last year, will preside. Berry will speak in Fayette county the following Monday; Westmoreland, Tuesday; Mercer, Wednesday; Venango, Thursday; Erie, Friday and Crawford, Saturday. Hall declines to indicate at present where the meetings in these counties will be held. With the exception of the Mercer and Crawford meetings the gatherings of the week of September 25 will be in charge of Prohibition Chairman McCalmont.

Berry's itinerary for the remainder of the campaign follows; the towns not yet having been selected: Beaver county, October 2; Armstrong, October 3; Fayette, October 4; Clarion, October 5; Jefferson, October 6; Lycoming, October 7; Blair, October 16; Bedford, October 17; Centre, October 19; Mifflin, October 20; Westchester, October 21; Lehigh, October 23; Berks, October 24; Schuylkill, October 25 and 26; Bedford, October 27; York, October 28.

The Blair meeting will also be under the auspices of the Prohibition party. Neither Hall nor McCalmont has yet selected the speakers who will accompany their candidate.

Can't Account for Load.

Charles Ernest and Hugh Tansier were arrested by the Lawrenceville police last night as suspicious characters. They were hauling a wagonload of iron scrap, for which they could not account to the satisfaction of the police.

Don't Hesitate

Great battles are won by quick action——

Many cases of consumption are the result of carelessness——A hard cold often settles on the lungs——They become weak——Disease is a coward——It always attacks the weakest part.——Avoid a cold and the sometimes consequent result——Consumption——A single dose of

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taken internally, the moment you feel it coming, on will ward off a hard stubborn cold——

If you have waited too long and the cold becomes settled on the lungs, Wizard Oil applied externally to the chest, according to directions, will break it up in a night——Get a bottle now of the genuine Wizard Oil ——HAMLINS——

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PITTSBURGHER PINS HIS CASH AND FAITH TO JAPAN

Getting a Half Million Out of His Business He Invests in Tobacco, Backed Japanese Bonds and Is Now Happy.

Pittsburgh's prominent position as a community of wealth cannot be more clearly illustrated than by the report that one solitary resident of this city has loaned Japan $500,000 to relieve her temporary financial needs.

When the second Japanese loan was asked for the Pittsburgher, who is reported to have made the liberal loan, had just completed a transaction with one of the big corporations of the country, disposing of a business which permitted him to deposit $500,000 in a downtown national bank. With every faith in Japanese arms, and having the assurance that the guarantee of the bonds, which was the revenue from the sale of tobacco in the kingdom, was a sufficient guarantee, this Pittsburgher is said to have written out his check for $500,000 and to have subscribed for the bonds to that full amount.

A few days later the proposition of peace was considered by both nations and immediately the $500,000 investment showed a tidy profit. Then came the uncertain stage in the negotiations when it appeared for a time that the war would be continued. At this stage the bonds took a decided slump, one reason being the impression that the profits from the sale of tobacco would not be very great in Japan during and immediately after a long warfare.

But the Pittsburgher, who knows something about the tobacco business himself, was sanguine and faced a loss with an unconcerned air until a few days later, when the signing of the peace treaty was an accomplished fact and then his patience was rewarded with not only a full recovery of his apparent loss, but a very tidy profit as well. He is said to still hold the bonds and intends to hold them as a good 6 per cent investment. The subscription price of the second issue of the bonds was 85, and they are now quoted in the neighborhood of 100, which would indicate that this fortunate Pittsburgher has made a profit of over $67,000 through his kindness to Japan.

Beecham's Pills

When lack of appetite is caused by overeating, take Beecham's Pills to relieve the feeling of heaviness. When a sick stomach takes away all desire for food, use Beecham's Pills. They invariably tone the digestion and

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Sold Everywhere. In boxes 10c. and 25c.

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This Clearance Sale of Fine Furniture

Should Appeal to Everybody

This is a very unusual clearance sale, because of the number of pieces involved and the remarkable variety—to say nothing of the saving effected by purchasers.

Never before since the inception of this business was there such an array of odd pieces and discontinued patterns, all of which we are closing out. You'll find the original price and the reduced price marked on each piece.

Diningroom

(Golden Oak.)

Go. Oak China Closet	$100.00	reduced to	$ 60.00
Go. Oak China Closet	$ 95.00	reduced to	$ 70.00
Go. Oak China Closet	$ 58.00	reduced to	$ 46.00
Go. Oak China Closet	$ 85.00	reduced to	$ 60.00
Go. Oak China Closet	$ 75.00	reduced to	$ 55.00
Go. Oak China Closet	$ 30.00	reduced to	$ 22.00
Go. Oak China Closet	$ 48.00	reduced to	$ 35.00
Go. Oak China Closet	$ 75.00	reduced to	$ 55.00
Go. Oak China Closet	$ 90.00	reduced to	$ 65.00
Go. Oak China Closet	$100.00	reduced to	$ 75.00
Go. Oak China Closet	$ 85.00	reduced to	$ 65.00
Go. Oak China Closet	$ 25.00	reduced to	$ 19.00
Go. Oak China Closet	$ 60.00	reduced to	$ 45.00
Go. Oak China Closet	$ 30.00	reduced to	$ 22.00
Go. Oak China Closet	$ 50.00	reduced to	$ 38.00
Go. Oak China Closet	$ 50.00	reduced to	$ 38.00
Go. Oak China Closet	$ 38.00	reduced to	$ 24.00
Go. Oak China Closet	$ 68.00	reduced to	$ 50.00
Go. Oak China Closet	$ 58.00	reduced to	$ 45.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 50.00	reduced to	$ 38.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 52.00	reduced to	$ 40.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 63.00	reduced to	$ 45.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 58.00	reduced to	$ 45.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 32.00	reduced to	$ 24.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 33.00	reduced to	$ 24.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 32.00	reduced to	$ 24.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 50.00	reduced to	$ 38.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 28.00	reduced to	$ 20.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 32.00	reduced to	$ 22.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 35.00	reduced to	$ 24.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 85.00	reduced to	$ 60.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 50.00	reduced to	$ 45.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 90.00	reduced to	$ 65.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 95.00	reduced to	$ 65.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 34.00	reduced to	$ 24.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 35.00	reduced to	$ 25.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 35.00	reduced to	$ 22.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 37.00	reduced to	$ 25.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 33.00	reduced to	$ 25.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 54.00	reduced to	$ 42.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 32.00	reduced to	$ 20.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 36.50	reduced to	$ 25.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 35.50	reduced to	$ 26.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 39.00	reduced to	$ 29.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 40.00	reduced to	$ 30.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 55.00	reduced to	$ 42.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 57.00	reduced to	$ 40.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 39.00	reduced to	$ 28.00
Golden Oak Buffet	$ 44.00	reduced to	$ 35.00
Golden Oak Sideboard	$375.00	reduced to	$295.00
Golden Oak Sideboard	$290.00	reduced to	$210.00
Golden Oak Sideboard	$260.00	reduced to	$190.00
Golden Oak Sideboard	$300.00	reduced to	$220.00
Golden Oak Sideboard	$195.00	reduced to	$130.00
Golden Oak Sideboard	$200.00	reduced to	$140.00
Golden Oak Ex. Table	$165.00	reduced to	$120.00
Golden Oak Ex. Table	$ 65.00	reduced to	$ 48.00
Golden Oak Ex. Table	$ 85.00	reduced to	$ 60.00
Golden Oak Ex. Table	$115.00	reduced to	$ 80.00
Golden Oak Ex. Table	$100.00	reduced to	$ 70.00
Golden Oak Ex. Table	$ 73.00	reduced to	$ 50.00
Golden Oak Ex. Table	$ 55.00	reduced to	$ 40.00
Golden Oak Ex. Table	$ 55.00	reduced to	$ 42.00
Golden Oak Ex. Table	$ 85.00	reduced to	$ 60.00
Golden Oak Ex. Table	$ 22.00	reduced to	$ 14.00
Golden Oak Ex. Table	$ 24.00	reduced to	$ 15.00

(Weathered Oak.)

W'd Oak China Closet	$ 39.00	reduced to	$ 28.00
W'd Oak China Closet	$ 85.00	reduced to	$ 65.00
W'd Oak China Closet	$ 80.00	reduced to	$ 60.00
W'd Oak China Closet	$125.00	reduced to	$ 90.00
Weathered Oak Buffet	$ 58.00	reduced to	$ 40.00
Weathered Oak Buffet	$ 36.50	reduced to	$ 25.00
Weathered Oak Buffet	$ 28.00	reduced to	$ 20.00
Weathered Oak Buffet	$ 42.00	reduced to	$ 30.00
Weathered Oak Buffet	$ 25.00	reduced to	$ 19.00
Weathered Oak Buffet	$ 27.50	reduced to	$ 20.00

(Mahogany)

Mhg. Extension Table	$145.00	reduced to	$105.00
Mhg. Extension Table	$120.00	reduced to	$ 70.00
Mhg. Extension Table	$ 85.00	reduced to	$ 65.00
Mhg. Extension Table	$115.00	reduced to	$ 90.00
Mhg. China Closet	$120.00	reduced to	$ 85.00
Mhg. China Closet	$135.00	reduced to	$100.00
Mhg. China Closet	$165.00	reduced to	$125.00
Mhg. China Closet	$175.00	rdeuced to	$140.00
Mhg. China Closet	$ 43.00	reduced to	$ 30.00
Mhg. China Closet	$ 63.00	reduced to	$ 50.00
Mahogany Buffet	$135.00	reduced to	$105.00
Mahogany Buffet	$ 75.00	reduced to	$ 55.00
Mahogany Buffet	$ 68.00	reduced to	$ 48.00
Mahogany Buffet	$ 45.00	reduced to	$ 35.00
Mahogany Buffet	$ 85.00	reduced to	$ 60.00
Mahogany Sideboard	$240.00	reduced to	$175.00
Mahogany Sideboard	$185.00	reduced to	$145.00
Mahogany Sideboard	$ 88.00	reduced to	$ 50.00
Mahogany Sideboard	$200.00	reduced to	$155.00
Mahogany Sideboard	$190.00	reduced to	$120.00
Mahogany Sideboard	$325.00	reduced to	$250.00
Mahogany Sideboard	$165.00	reduced to	$120.00
Mahogany Sideboard	$175.00	reduced to	$125.00
Mahogany Sideboard	$230.00	reduced to	$130.00
Mahogany Sideboard	$163.00	reduced to	$125.00
Mahogany Sideboard	$ 85.00	reduced to	$ 65.00
Mahogany Sideboard	$110.00	reduced to	$ 85.00

Bedroom

(Mahogany)

Mahogany Dresser	$110.00	reduced to	$ 85.00
Mahogany Dresser	$300.00	reduced to	$225.00
Mahogany Dresser	$ 33.50	reduced to	$ 24.00
Mahogany Dresser	$ 40.00	reduced to	$ 28.00
Mahogany Dresser	$ 88.00	reduced to	$ 68.00
Mahogany Dresser	$110.00	reduced to	$ 85.00
Mahogany Dresser	$ 37.00	reduced to	$ 29.00
Mahogany Dresser	$ 65.00	reduced to	$ 50.00
Mahogany Dresser	$ 75.00	reduced to	$ 55.00
Mahogany Dresser	$ 45.00	reduced to	$ 36.00
Mahogany Dresser	$ 33.00	reduced to	$ 25.00
Mahogany Dresser	$ 27.00	reduced to	$ 20.00
Mahogany Dresser	$ 35.00	reduced to	$ 25.00
Mahogany Dresser	$140.00	reduced to	$105.00
Mahogany Dresser	$220.00	reduced to	$160.00
Mhg. Dressing Table	$150.00	reduced to	$100.00
Mhg. Dressing Table	$170.00	reduced to	$120.00
Mhg. Dressing Table	$130.00	reduced to	$ 95.00
Mhg. Dressing Table	$ 23.50	reduced to	$ 15.00
Mhg. Dressing Table	$ 22.00	reduced to	$ 18.00
Mhg. Dressing Table	$ 23.00	reduced to	$ 15.00
Mhg. Dressing Table	$ 23.00	reduced to	$ 15.00
Mhg. Dressing Table	$ 52.00	reduced to	$ 38.00
Mhg. Dressing Table	$ 75.00	reduced to	$ 50.00
Mhg. Dressing Table	$ 45.00	reduced to	$ 35.00
Mhg. Dressing Table	$ 51.00	reduced to	$ 38.00
Mhg. Dressing Table	$ 23.00	reduced to	$ 18.00
Mhg. Dressing Table	$ 33.00	reduced to	$ 23.00
Mahogany Chiffonier	$190.00	reduced to	$145.00
Mahogany Chiffonier	$125.00	reduced to	$ 95.00
Mahogany Chiffonier	$ 31.50	reduced to	$ 22.00
Mahogany Chiffonier	$ 20.00	reduced to	$ 15.00
Mahogany Chiffonier	$ 24.00	reduced to	$ 18.00
Mahogany Chiffonier	$ 76.00	reduced to	$ 55.00
Mhg. Cheval Glass	$ 55.00	reduced to	$ 45.00
Mhg. Cheval Glass	$ 27.00	reduced to	$ 19.00
Mhg. Cheval Glass	$ 80.00	reduced to	$ 60.00
Mhg. Cheval Glass	$150.00	reduced to	$100.00
Mhg. Cheval Glass	$130.00	reduced to	$ 95.00
Mhg. Suite (Bed, Dresser, Dressing Table)	$450.00	reduced to	$300.00
Toona Mahogany Bed	$ 45.00	reduced to	$ 32.00
Toona Mhg. Dresser	$ 55.00	reduced to	$ 40.00
Toona Mhg. Dres. Table	$ 35.00	reduced to	$ 25.00
Toona Mhg. Chiffonier	$ 50.00	reduced to	$ 38.00
Toona Mhg. Chiffonier	$ 40.00	reduced to	$ 30.00

(Golden Oak)

Golden Oak Bed	$ 24.00	reduced to	$ 18.00
Golden Oak Bed	$ 21.00	reduced to	$ 15.00
Golden Oak Bed	$ 30.00	reduced to	$ 22.50
Golden Oak Bed	$ 85.00	reduced to	$ 50.00
Golden Oak Dresser	$ 22.00	reduced to	$ 17.00
Golden Oak Dresser	$ 33.00	reduced to	$ 24.00
Golden Oak Dresser	$ 40.00	reduced to	$ 30.00
Golden Oak Dresser	$ 27.00	reduced to	$ 20.00
Golden Oak Dresser	$ 32.00	reduced to	$ 25.00
Golden Oak Dresser	$ 35.00	reduced to	$ 28.00
Golden Oak Dresser	$ 32.00	reduced to	$ 24.00
Go. Oak Dressing Table	$ 42.00	reduced to	$ 27.00
Go. Oak Dressing Table	$ 25.00	reduced to	$ 19.00
Go. Oak Dressing Table	$ 36.00	reduced to	$ 27.00
Go. Oak Dressing Table	$ 25.00	reduced to	$ 19.00
Go. Oak Dressing Table	$ 21.00	reduced to	$ 16.00
Go. Oak Dressing Table	$ 40.00	reduced to	$ 30.00
Go. Oak Dressing Table	$ 21.50	reduced to	$ 16.00
Golden Oak Chiffonier	$ 70.00	reduced to	$ 50.00
Golden Oak Chiffonier	$ 22.00	reduced to	$ 15.00
Golden Oak Chiffonier	$ 20.00	reduced to	$ 15.00
Golden Oak Chiffonier	$ 32.00	reduced to	$ 23.00
Golden Oak Chiffonier	$ 49.50	reduced to	$ 38.00
Golden Oak Chiffonier	$ 33.00	reduced to	$ 24.00
Golden Oak Chiffonier	$ 27.00	reduced to	$ 20.00
Golden Oak Chiffonier	$ 28.00	reduced to	$ 20.00

(Maple)

Maple Bed	$ 50.00	reduced to	$ 35.00
Maple Bed	$ 57.00	reduced to	$ 35.00
Maple Dresser	$ 75.00	reduced to	$ 50.00
Maple Dresser	$ 50.00	reduced to	$ 35.00
Maple Chiffonier	$ 65.00	reduced to	$ 45.00
Maple Chiffonier	$ 65.00	reduced to	$ 35.00

(Birch)

Birch Dresser	$ 32.50	reduced to	$ 24.00
Birch Dresser	$110.00	reduced to	$ 80.00
Birch Dresser	$ 75.00	reduced to	$ 55.00
Birch Dressing Table	$ 22.00	reduced to	$ 16.00
Birch Dressing Table	$ 43.00	reduced to	$ 30.00
Birch Chiffonier	$ 36.00	reduced to	$ 25.00
Birch Chiffonier	$ 95.00	reduced to	$ 70.00
Birch Chiffonier	$ 65.00	reduced to	$ 45.00

Brass Beds

Brass Beds	$100.00	reduced to	$ 60.00
Brass Beds	$125.00	reduced to	$ 95.00
Brass Beds	$ 80.00	reduced to	$ 58.00
Brass Beds	$ 80.00	reduced to	$ 60.00
Brass Beds	$ 75.00	reduced to	$ 55.00
Brass Beds	$ 80.00	reduced to	$ 60.00
Brass Beds	$ 65.00	reduced to	$ 35.00
Brass Beds	$ 58.00	reduced to	$ 40.00
Brass Beds	$ 58.00	reduced to	$ 35.00
Brass Beds	$ 50.00	reduced to	$ 35.00
Brass Beds	$ 58.00	reduced to	$ 45.00

Parlor

(Mahogany)

Mahogany 5-Piece Suite	$450.00	reduced to	$250.00
Mahogany 3-Piece Suite	$320.00	reduced to	$225.00
Mahogany 3-Piece Suite	$165.00	reduced to	$ 80.00
Mahogany 3-Piece Suite	$190.00	reduced to	$125.00
Mahogany 3-Piece Suite	$240.00	reduced to	$150.00
Mahogany 3-Piece Suite	$210.00	reduced to	$130.00
Mahogany 3-Piece Suite	$180.00	reduced to	$110.00
Mahogany 3-Piece Suite	$265.00	reduced to	$175.00
Mahogany 3-Piece Suite	$ 60.00	reduced to	$ 38.00
Mahogany 3-Piece Suite	$ 90.00	reduced to	$ 70.00
Mahogany 3-Piece Suite	$ 75.00	reduced to	$ 55.00
Mahogany 4-Piece Suite	$195.00	reduced to	$130.00
Mahogany finish 3-Piece Suite	$ 30.00	reduced to	$ 22.00
Mahogany Cabinet	$150.00	reduced to	$110.00
Mahogany Cabinet	$ 95.00	reduced to	$ 70.00
Mahogany Cabinet	$115.00	reduced to	$ 90.00
Mahogany Cabinet	$160.00	reduced to	$115.00
Mahogany Cabinet	$125.00	reduced to	$ 95.00
Mahogany Cabinet	$215.00	reduced to	$160.00
Mahogany Arm Chair	$225.00	reduced to	$165.00
Mahogany Arm Chair	$ 98.00	reduced to	$ 75.00
Mahogany Arm Chair	$ 75.00	reduced to	$ 55.00
Mahogany Arm Chair	$ 80.00	reduced to	$ 60.00
Mahogany Chair	$ 35.00	reduced to	$ 28.00
Mahogany Chair	$ 55.00	reduced to	$ 40.00
Mahogany Chair	$ 42.00	reduced to	$ 30.00
Mahogany Sofa	$150.00	reduced to	$ 75.00
Mahogany Sofa	$ 65.00	reduced to	$ 45.00
Mahogany Sofa	$120.00	reduced to	$ 80.00
Mahogany Sofa	$100.00	reduced to	$ 75.00
Mahogany Sofa	$ 33.00	reduced to	$ 22.00
Mahogany Sofa	$ 20.00	reduced to	$ 14.00

(Vernis Martin)

Vernis Martin Cabinet	$ 95.00	reduced to	$ 65.00
Vernis Martin Cabinet	$ 95.00	reduced to	$ 70.00
Vernis Martin Cabinet	$ 65.00	reduced to	$ 45.00
Vernis Martin Cabinet	$ 50.00	reduced to	$ 35.00
Vernis Martin Cabinet	$ 35.00	reduced to	$ 25.00

(Gold)

Gold 5-Piece Suite	$900.00	reduced to	$600.00
Gold 3-Piece Suite	$550.00	reduced to	$375.00
Gold 3-Piece Suite	$290.00	reduced to	$195.00
Gold 3-Piece Suite	$360.00	reduced to	$265.00
Gold 3-Piece Suite	$350.00	reduced to	$215.00
Gold Sofa	$280.00	reduced to	$150.00
Gold Chair	$ 60.00	reduced to	$ 45.00
Gold Chair	$ 55.00	reduced to	$ 40.00
Gold Cabinet	$245.00	reduced to	$175.00
Gold Cabinet	$188.00	reduced to	$ 88.00
Gold Cabinet	$115.00	reduced to	$ 90.00
Gold Cabinet	$345.00	reduced to	$215.00
Gold Cabinet	$160.00	reduced to	$120.00
Gold Cabinet	$200.00	reduced to	$160.00
Gold Cabinet	$190.00	reduced to	$140.00
Gold Cabinet	$125.00	reduced to	$ 90.00
Gold Cabinet	$ 70.00	reduced to	$ 52.50
Gold Cabinet	$ 90.00	reduced to	$ 65.00
Gold Cabinet	$ 52.00	reduced to	$ 40.00

Library

(Mahogany)

Mahogany Davenport	$ 85.00	reduced to	$ 65.00
Mahogany Davenport	$ 25.00	reduced to	$ 19.00
Mahogany Davenport	$ 44.00	reduced to	$ 34.00
Mahogany Davenport	$100.00	reduced to	$ 80.00
Mahogany Libry Table	$130.00	reduced to	$105.00
Mahogany Libry Table	$115.00	reduced to	$ 80.00
Mahogany Libry Table	$ 90.00	reduced to	$ 60.00
Mahogany Libry Table	$100.00	reduced to	$ 70.00
Mahogany Bookcase	$125.00	reduced to	$ 90.00
Mahogany Bookcase	$ 25.00	reduced to	$ 18.00
Mahogany Bookcase	$110.00	reduced to	$ 80.00
Mahogany Bookcase	$100.00	reduced to	$ 75.00
Mahogany Bookcase	$ 80.00	reduced to	$ 56.00
Mahogany Bookcase	$ 60.00	reduced to	$ 45.00
Mahogany Bookcase	$ 50.00	reduced to	$ 38.00
Mahogany Bookcase	$ 94.00	reduced to	$ 70.00
Mahogany Bookcase	$ 45.00	reduced to	$ 30.00

(Weathered Oak)

Weath'd Oak Bookcase	$ 22.00	reduced to	$ 16.00
Weath'd Oak Bookcase	$ 28.00	reduced to	$ 20.00
Weath'd Oak Bookcase	$ 38.00	reduced to	$ 25.00
Weath'd Oak Bookcase	$ 36.50	reduced to	$ 27.00
Weath'd Oak Bookcase	$ 22.00	reduced to	$ 16.00

(Golden Oak)

Golden Oak L'by Table	$ 88.00	reduced to	$ 65.00
Golden Oak L'by Table	$ 55.00	reduced to	$ 40.00
Golden Oak L'by Table	$ 38.00	reduced to	$ 24.00
Golden Oak L'by Table	$ 28.00	reduced to	$ 20.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	$165.00	reduced to	$125.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	$155.00	reduced to	$110.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	$ 80.00	reduced to	$ 58.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	$ 84.00	reduced to	$ 65.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	$ 67.00	reduced to	$ 55.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	$ 73.00	reduced to	$ 55.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	$ 45.00	reduced to	$ 32.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	$ 84.00	reduced to	$ 64.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	$ 40.00	reduced to	$ 28.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	$ 57.00	reduced to	$ 40.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	$ 70.00	reduced to	$ 50.00

Next week we shall have a clearance sale devoted exclusively to Office Furniture. Watch for it.

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THE PIRATES LOSE A CHANCE TO GAIN ON THE GIANTS

ARNDT'S STEAL BEAT PIRATES

Goes from Third Home While Phillippe Was Winding Up in the Ninth Inning.

GREAT DAY FOR WAGNER

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 12.—Harry Arndt's sensational steal home in the last minute of play with two out, Jack Taylor at the bat and the score 1 to 1, enabled the Cardinals to break even with the Pirates in a double-header today, with probably one-half of the 4,500 spectators present pulling for a Pittsburgh victory. The natives lost the first encounter 8 to 2, by virtue of the healthy pounding "Chappy" received.

Strange game is this baseball. All season the faithful have fought for the locals to win. Today Brooklyn beat New York, and a double victory for the Dreyfus crowd would have placed Clarke's warriors a game nearer the pugnacious McGraw. An outsider would have easily believed that the Pittsburgh lads were the natives in the second contest. The fans wanted the Cardinals beaten, and those erratic sons of Robison would not stand for it.

Pittsburgh had very plain sailing until they went up against Mr. Taylor. Jack has an old score to settle with Barney. Taylor is revengeful, and what is worse—for Barney—Jack has the ability to satisfy his feelings. A few days ago Jack allowed four hits to the Smokeville lads, and they beat him when his pals whipped out 14.

The Cardinal manager reduced the Pirates' bevy of bingles to three today and gave them all to Hans Wagner, whose work was spectacular in the extreme. Well did Mr. Taylor earn his victory today, and how sweet the triumph was only Jack will tell.

Few double-headers this season have produced more thrilling plays and terminated more suddenly than the show of today. Wagner fought it with the determination of a bulldog. He was everywhere in both encounters, and in the last one "Honus'" work was never excelled in St. Louis. Had Pittsburgh taken the second game, as a goodly portion of the people wished, the victory would have been Wagner's, not Pittsburgh's.

There was little worthy of note in the first go, beyond the bombardment of McFarland, the remarkable fielding of young Arthur Hoelsketter and the clock-like performance of the Pirate infield. Ganley, the first man to the plate, smashed the leather off into space beyond Shannon and took three bases. From then on it was all Pittsburgh, and at that the visitors never extended themselves. The crowd contented themselves with applauding the work of Hoelsketter and Wagner. McFarland's thumping was music to the ears of the fans, who want to see Pittsburgh somewhere near New York when the curtain falls.

Just once did McFarland pitch the ball he sometimes shows he is able to heave, and that was the first inning, when he held Ganley at third base while he retired the side, striking out Wagner. Big Mike Lynch was in trouble. The Celtic collegian exhibited a fascinating assortment of wide curves, with which he found much amusement with the Cardinals. Once Beckley scratched a double and young Hoelsketter smashed over Brain's head for another double, but Michael retired the following batters with little difficulty.

Taylor enabled Arndt to steal with a young catcher from St. Charles when Jack corralled during the day. In the afternoon Jack put a Cardinal uniform on the recruit and made him warm up before the second game. It was good fungo exercise for Jack, and the youngster's bewilderment at Jack's benders put him in an excellent humor for the encounter.

"Deacon" Phillippe was ordered into action against the vindictive Jack. The duel of those two star flingers was intensely interesting. Taylor was twirling by far the more effective game, but the Deacon was getting the same results of his work against the residents, and when the clubs came together for the final session the score was even.

Shannon grabbed two of the outs from the Willows of Leach and Beaumont, but Hans Wagner was not willing to die without a struggle, and whipped his third bingle to right field. The inning previous Wagner made the circuit on a single, a stolen base, a walk to third when he booted Grady's throw to left field, and tallied on Howard's rap to Arndt. Hans immediately started for second, but this time Grady threw well and Arndt tagged the German as he dove for the pillow. There seemed to be little hope for the locals. All through the game Wagner had been an impenetrable barrier to the locals. Once he grabbed Gibson's poor throw out of the dirt with his gloved mitt and put the ball on Beckley with one hand. On the bases he was a demon, and held the Cardinals save-inspired as the spectators were to found it.

It remained for Arndt to stop the climax of a day of brilliant fielding and an unusual exhibition of the game. But Wagner figured in this event, as he did in all the others. Arndt, the first man up in the last half of the ninth, whipped the ball on a line between Brain and Wagner. Hans gave a flying leap after the ball and knocked it down, but Harry got his base.

The evening shades were beginning to fall and the clubs could not have gone another inning. Arndt took a big lead and Phillippe threw to catch him. Howard lost the ball. It rolled almost to the fence. Phillippe raced out and found the leather as Arndt pulled up at third. The game looked over as Grady walked to the plate, but would ignore the run. Michael Angelo fell down on a bounder to the "Deacon" and McBride fanned. With Taylor up Arndt dashed for home. He just beat the throw of Phillippe and knocked the ball out of Gibson's hands. The game ended here. Arndt's daring work enabled Taylor to cash his vengeance on the Pittsburgh lads, although he cannot be said that his victory was a popular one. The score:

FIRST GAME.

Pittsburgh	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Ganley, r.	0	1	2	0	0	Dunle'vy, r.	0	0	1	0	0
Leach, m.	2	3	2	0	0	Shannon, l.	0	2	4	0	0
B'mont, m.	1	1	1	0	0	Smoot, m.	0	2	2	0	0
Wagner, s.	1	1	1	6	0	Beckley, l.	1	1	10	0	0
Howard, l.	1	1	13	1	0	Hoelsk'r, s.	1	2	2	4	0
Brain, 3.	0	1	1	5	0	Arndt, 2.	0	1	1	2	0
Ritchey, 2.	2	2	3	3	0	Grady, c.	0	0	4	0	0
Peitz, c.	1	1	4	0	0	McBride, s.	0	0	3	2	1
Lynch, p.	0	0	0	0	0	M'Farl'd, p.	0	0	1	0	0
Totals.	8	11	27	15	0	Totals.	2	9	27	12	1

Pittsburgh	0	2	1	0	2	2	0	0	1	0	8
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2

Two-base hits—Hoelsketter 2. Beckley, Brain. Three-base hits—Ganley, Beaumont. Sacrifice hits—Beaumont, Lynch. Double plays—Wagner, Ritchey and Howard; Brain and Howard. Stolen bases—Smoot, Wagner 2. Hit by pitched ball—By McFarland 2. Wild pitch—Lynch. Bases on balls—Off McFarland 1, off Lynch 1. Struck out—By McFarland 5, by Lynch 4. Left on bases—St. Louis 9, Pittsburgh 8. Time of game—1:34. Umpire—Emslie.

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	..	0	0	3	0	0	Dunle'vy, r.	0	0	1	0	0
	..	0	0	0	0	0	Shannon, l.	0	0	4	0	0
	..	0	0	2	2	0	Smoot, m.	0	0	2	2	0
	s.	1	3	2	3	0	Beckley, l.	0	0	13	0	0
	..	1	0	0	1	0	Hoelsk'r, s.	1	1	1	5	0
	..	0	0	3	2	0	Arndt, 2.	0	0	1	3	0
	..	0	0	0	1	0	Grady, c.	0	0	2	4	1
	c.	0	0	0	2	0	McBride, s.	0	1	1	1	0
	p.	0	0	1	4	1	Taylor, p.	0	0	0	0	0
	..	1	3	26	14	1	Totals.	2	7	27	12	1

		0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
		0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1

One out when winning run was scored.

Left on bases—St. Louis 9, Pittsburgh 8. Sacrifice hits—Grady. Double play—Wagner and Howard. Stolen bases—Wagner, Howard. First base on balls—Off Taylor 1, off Phillippe 3. Struck out—By Taylor 4, by Phillippe 3. Left on bases—St. Louis 7, Pittsburgh 3. Time of game—1:34. Umpire—Emslie.

New York 3-5—Brooklyn 2-8.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The Brooklyn and New York Nationals broke even in a double-header at the Polo grounds today, New York winning the first game 3 to 2 and the visitors the second 8 to 5. The local men won the opening game by good batting in the ninth inning and the Brooklyn players batted Taylor out of the box in the fifth inning of the second contest, which was called owing to darkness at the end of the seventh inning. Scores:

FIRST GAME.

Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Dobbs, m.	1	0	1	2	0	Browne, r.	1	1	1	0	1
Sheckard, l.	0	0	1	1	0	Donlin, m.	1	2	2	0	0
Lumley, r.	1	1	2	0	0	McGann, l.	0	1	3	1	0
Gessler, l.	0	0	1	1	0	Mertes, l.	0	2	1	0	0
Lewis, s.	0	2	2	3	1	Dahlen, s.	0	0	1	5	0
Batch, 3.	0	0	1	1	0	Devlin, 3.	0	1	2	5	0
Hummel, 2.	0	1	3	5	0	Strang, 2.	0	1	1	1	0
Bergen, c.	0	0	5	0	0	Bra'han, c.	0	0	10	3	0
M'Intyre, p.	0	1	0	2	0	Math'son, p.	0	1	0	1	0
Totals.	3	7	25	13	1	Totals.	3	10	27	13	1

One out when winning run was made.

New York		1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	3
Brooklyn		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2

First base on errors—Brooklyn 1. Left on bases—New York 12, Brooklyn 4. First base on balls—Off Matthewson 2, off McIntyre 4. Struck out—By Matthewson 7, by McIntyre 5. Home run—Lumley. Two-base hits—Donlin, Gessler. Three-base hits—Ganley, Beaumont. Sacrifice hits—Lewis, Batch, Hummel, Bergen. Stolen bases—Lumley, Lewis, Batch, Hummel, Bergen, Bra'han, Math'son. Double plays—Lewis, Hummel and Bergen; Dahlen, Devlin and Strang. First base on balls—Off Matthewson 1, off McIntyre 1. Hit by pitched ball—By Matthewson 1. Wild pitch—Matthewson. Time of game—1:55. Umpires—Klem and Johnstone.

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White, 1.	2	4	11	0	1	Porter, 2-c.	0	0	1	0	0
Forkum, 2.	3	2	2	3	0	Edm'n, 3-r.	0	0	0	3	0
Smith, r.	2	2	2	0	0	Sandh'r, s-p	0	0	4	3	0
With'up, p.	0	1	0	2	0	Brisbine, 1.	0	1	2	5	0
						B'miller,	p.	0	0	0	3	0
						*Shelby	..	0	1	0	0	0
Totals.	21	20	27	10	2	Totals.	..	2	3	24	11	5

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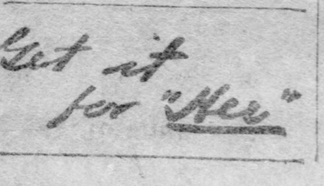

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

Pittsburgh	8-1—St. Louis	2-2
New York	3-5—Brooklyn	2-8

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	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York.	90	37	.708	Cincinnati	65	68	.498
Pittsburgh.	80	46	.658	St. Louis	51	82	.383
Chicago	75	58	.676	Boston	42	88	.323
Philadelphia	69	58	.543	Brooklyn	39	87	.310

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Philadelphia	4-4—New York	3-7
Detroit	4—Cleveland	3

No Other Games.

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Philadelphia	75	46	.620	Boston	60	60	.500
Chicago	72	51	.585	Detroit	64	64	.500
Cleveland	66	60	.524	Washington.	51	71	.418
New York.	60	59	.504	St. Louis	44	82	.349

AMERICAN GAMES TODAY.

Boston at Philadelphia.
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St. Louis at Chicago.

Devlin, Lewis. Sacrifice hit—Dobbs. Stolen base—Gessler. Double play—Mathewson, Bresnahan and McGann. Hit by pitched ball—By McIntyre 2. Umpire—O'Day. Time of game—1:55.

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Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Dobbs, m.	1	2	3	0	0	Browne, r.	0	0	0	0	0
Sheckard, l.	1	1	4	0	0	Donlin, m.	1	2	0	0	0
Lumley, r.	1	1	1	0	0	McGann, l.	0	1	2	3	0
Gessler, l.	0	0	1	1	0	Mertes, l.	1	2	1	0	0
Lewis, s.	1	2	1	2	0	Dahlen, s.	0	0	3	3	0
Batch, 3.	0	0	0	0	0	Devlin, 3.	0	0	2	0	2
Hummel, 2.	2	0	2	2	0	Strang, 2.	0	0	1	4	0
Ritter, c.	1	2	4	0	1	P'nahan, c.	1	1	5	1	0
Scanlon, p.	0	1	0	1	1	Taylor, p.	1	0	0	2	1
						Wiltse, p.	0	0	0	2	1
Totals.	8	10	21	6	4	Totals.	5	9	21	16	1

Brooklyn		0	1	0	0	7	0	0	0	*	—8
New York		0	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	—5

First base on errors—New York 1, Brooklyn 1. Left on bases—New York 9, Brooklyn 7. First base on balls—Off Taylor 3, off Wiltse 2, off Scanlon 5. Struck out—By Taylor 1, by Scanlon 4. Home run—Sheckard. Three-base hits—Donlin, Lumley. Two-base hit—Lewis. Sacrifice hits—Taylor, Sheckard. Hits—Off Taylor 8 in 4 1-3 innings; off Wiltse 3 in 2 2-3 innings. Stolen bases—Merles 2. Double play—Gessler and Lewis. Wild pitch—Wiltse. Passed ball—Bresnahan. Umpire—O'Day. Time of game—1:45. Attendance 3,000.

MERRITT OF HARVARD WILL COACH THE PREP. ELEVEN

Allegheny School Boys to Have Football Instructor from East—Gelder Goes to Mercersburg.

Edward W. Merritt, Jr., Harvard '04, has accepted a professorship in the Allegheny Preparatory school. He will also act as coach of the football team, succeeding Prof. Snyder, resigned. Merritt was at the head of the department of physical training at Williston seminary, Easthampton, Mass., in 1904-5.

This year's prep. eleven will be greatly handicapped on account of this change, but nevertheless it will strive hard to uphold the records made by prep. teams in other years. Old players who will be back this year are: Ed Murphy, left tackle; Gilg, right end; Hagan, quarterback; Worcester, right half; Tustin, left half; Fife, fullback, and Em. Murphy, right end.

Roy Gelder, cover point on the Wilkinsburg High school hockey team last year, leaves today for Mercersburg academy. Walter Adams, a former High school athlete, returns to Mercersburg Friday. He played as a substitute halfback last year.

M'KEESPORT WINS GAME FROM YOUNGSTOWN, 3 TO 2

Youngstown was beaten at McKeesport yesterday, 3 to 2. Score:

M'K'sport.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Youngst'n.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Brent, m.	1	0	0	1	0	Blount, r.	0	1	1	0	0
Callahan, r	1	3	9	0	0	Maloney, m	0	1	2	0	0
Laughlin, r	0	0	12	0	0	Phyle, 3.	0	0	1	1	0
Schmidt, c.	1	1	7	1	0	B.Tho's, l.	1	1	1	0	0
English, l.	0	0	2	1	0	M'Cl'sky, 2.	0	0	2	3	0
Coggins, 2.	2	0	0	2	1	W.Tho's, l.	0	0	2	3	0
M'Cafy, s.	0	0	0	2	3	Barton, s.	0	1	1	3	0
White, 3.	0	0	0	3	4	Fields, c.	0	0	2	10	2
Kennedy, p	0	0	0	4	1	Armst'g, p.	0	0	1	0	1
Totals.	2	7	27	16	3	Totals.	2	9	*25	3	2

*One out when winning run was scored.

McKeesport		0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	—3
Youngstown		0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	—2

Two-base hits—Kennedy, Callahan. W. Thomas, Armstrong. Sacrifice hit—McClosky. Stolen bases—Callahan 2, Brent. Double plays—McCafferty and Laughlin. Base on balls—Off Armstrong 1. Struck out—By Armstrong 9, by Kennedy 7. Umpire—Demoss. Attendance—412.

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FIRST GAME.

New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel'a.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Hahn, l.	1	1	1	0	0	Hartsel, l.	0	0	2	0	0
Keeler, r.	0	1	1	0	0	Hoffman, m	0	0	1	0	1
Elberfeld, s	0	1	3	3	1	Davis, l.	1	1	16	1	0
Yeager, 3.	2	0	2	1	0	L. Cross, 3.	2	2	1	3	1
Williams, 2	0	2	1	3	0	Seybold, r.	0	0	1	1	0
Chase, 1.	0	0	13	1	2	Murphy, 2.	1	3	2	4	0
Fultz, m.	0	1	0	0	0	M. Cross, s.	0	0	0	5	1
McGuire, c.	0	0	3	3	0	Schreck, c.	0	1	2	6	0
Chesbro, p.	0	0	0	7	2	Coakley, p.	0	1	2	5	0
*Dougherty	0	0	0	0	0						
†Orth	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals.	3	6	24	15	5	Totals.	4	8	27	19	3

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Philadelphia		0	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	*	—4
New York		0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	—3

Left on bases—New York 7, Philadelphia 7. Sacrifice hits—Williams, Seybold 2, M. Cross 2, Keeler, Dougherty. Double plays—Seybold, Coakley and Davis; Murphy and Davis. Struck out—By Coakley 2, by Chesbro 2, by Coakley 1, by pitched ball—Yeager. Time of game—1:30. Umpires—Sheridan and McCarthy.

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Keeler, r.	1	1	3	0	0	Hoffman, m	0	1	0	0	0
Elberfeld, s	1	1	3	3	1	Lord, m.	1	1	0	0	0
Yeager, 3.	0	1	0	1	0	Davis, l.	0	1	8	0	0
Williams, 2	1	0	3	5	0	L. Cross, 1.	0	1	3	1	0
Chase, 1.	1	1	11	0	0	M'Ilr'y, m.	0	2	1	0	0
Craig, c.	2	3	13	2	0	Harrell, 2.	0	3	1	2	0
B. Hum'y,	0	1	1	0	0	Boyle, r.	0	0	1	1	0
M.Hay'd, s.	1	1	0	2	2	Bohlinger, c.	0	0	10	1	0
W.Hu's, p.	0	1	1	5	0	O'Neill, 1.	0	1	5	0	0
T.Hey'd.	3	0	0	1	0	Williams, s.	1	0	4	2	0
Allen, 2.	0	2	4	1	0	M'Ilvaine, p	1	0	1	2	1
Totals.	6	11	30	12	2	Totals.	5	9	27	9	3

*None out when winning run was scored.

Bellevernon		0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	—6
Donora		1	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	—5

Two-base hits—B. Humphries, Craig, Coulson, Allen. Stolen bases—Craig, M. Haywood, Jenkins 2, Underwood 2. Bases on balls—Off Mellvaine 2. Struck out—By McIlvaine 11, by Humphries 10. Umpire—Jenkins.

Dallas Wins at Fairmont.

FAIRMONT, W. VA., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—In an 8-inning game today the Dallas (Texas) league team won from the Coalers. The score:

Fairmont.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Dallas.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Jackson, l.	0	0	15	0	0	Sapp, 2.	0	2	6	5	0
Wharton, c	0	0	9	0	0	Bisbee,	1	2	1	0	0
Allan, 2.	0	0	3	4	0	Nist, l.	0	0	2	0	0
Swarti'g, s.	0	2	0	3	0	Bero, 3.	0	0	3	5	0
Snedden, 3.	0	2	3	5	1	Blum'g, m.	0	1	4	0	0
Uhrey, m.	0	0	0	0	0	Metz, 1.	1	3	15	0	0
Ridgley, r.	0	0	2	0	0	M'Derm't, r	1	0	0	0	0
M'Cl'k, p.	0	0	1	5	0	Nist, c.	0	0	8	3	1
Willig, 1.	1	2	3	1	0	Doyle, p.	0	1	0	1	0
Totals.	1	8	33	18	2	Totals.	3	11	33	18	2

Dallas		0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	—3
Fairmont		0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Two-base hit—Sapp. Hit by pitched ball—Jackson, Snedden, Nist, Doyle, McDermott. Sacrifice hit—Williams. Bases on balls—Off McClintock 1, off Doyle 2. Struck out—By McClintock 8, by Doyle 4. Umpire—Lamatt. Time of game—2 hours.

Millvale in Tie Game.

Millvale and Carnegie played a tie game on the Denny grounds yesterday 4 to 4. The game was called at the end of the tenth inning on account of darkness. The score:

| Millvale. | R. |

TITLE PERFECT TO MAGEE SITE

Board of Education Learns High School Is Overcrowded, Two Sessions Being Held Daily.

COST OF BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

At a meeting of the central board of education, held last night, Matthew McCandless was formally seated to succeed David Skeeham as representative of the Mt. Albion sub-district.

Solicitor W. J. Brennen reported that the title to the Christopher Magee site was perfect and President D. L. Gillespie announced that he would appoint the building committee for the new school in a short time.

The High school committee reported an enrollment of 2,273 pupils this year, an increase of 225 over last September, and it was stated that owing to lack of accommodations two daily sessions are being held in six classes in the commercial department.

John McLaughlin was recommended to succeed H. H. Wood, who resigned a professorship in the South Side High school, and he was elected. The committee was instructed to elect six new instructors and fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of George Marshall, a teacher in the commercial department.

The committee on books and supplies made the following report, showing the cost per pupil for books and supplies furnished last year:

Districts.	Cost per pupil for supplies	Cost per pupil for books
Allen	$0.39	$0.37
Bedford	.39	.24
Beltzhoover	.33	.19
Birmingham	.39	.15
Brushton	.35	.23
Colfax	.40	.77
Duquesne	.40	.33
Forbes	.35	.34
Franklin	.30	.22
Grant	.29	.12
Hancock	.24	.19
Hiland	.39	.39
Homewood	.23	.50
Howard	.32	.46
Humboldt	.38	.24
Knox	.29	.21
Lawrence	.29	.25
Liberty	.38	.36
Lincoln	.40	.24
Luckey	.34	.22
Minersville	.28	.65
Monongahela	.18	.27
Moorhead	.35	.15
Morse	.39	.41
Mt. Albion	.39	.52
Mt. Washington	.36	.50
North	.22	.11
Oakland	.32	.39
O'Hara	.34	.38
Peebles	.24	.23
Ralston	.39	.63
Riverside	.35	.31
South	.40	.31
Springfield	.39	.24
Sterrett	.40	.40
St. Clair	.23	.20
Stevens	.21	.14
Washington	.35	.37
Wickersham	.34	.19
Average cost	.34	.33

In answer to a question asked by Mr. Yeelig, Supt. Andrews stated that the commission on classification of teachers had no intention to omit the report called for by the rules of the board, and this report would be ready soon.

The Mt. Washington and Homewood sub-districts were given two new teachers and the Franklin, Sterrett and Hancock sub-districts one each. The new Thirty-ninth ward was given the title of Westlake sub-district.

Drive Ends in a Smash-up.

Samuel Leetman, aged 18, and Bessie Weiner, aged 17, of 217 Bingham street, while driving on the car tracks in Bertha street yesterday afternoon, were struck by a car on the Mt. Washington line and both thrown to the ground. Leetman received severe injuries, but the girl escaped with a few slight bruises.

SOCIETY

ANNOUNCEMENT is made of the engagement of Miss Jeannette Ferris, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ferris of Hazelwood, and Eric Beckeman of Wilkinsburg. The announcement was made yesterday at the luncheon given by Miss Ida Niele of Wilkinsburg, in honor of Miss Ferris and Miss Kathrene Louise Gilleland, whose marriage to Charles H. King will take place tomorrow. The guests included the girls in the bridal party, Miss Gilleland, Miss Elizabeth Brinker, Mrs. W. Arthur Gilleland, Miss Blanche Duke and Miss Ferris, with Miss Striebich of Braddock, who assisted the hostess. Pink and white were the colors carried out in all the appointments, asters being the flowers used in the centerpiece. The favors were dainty pink and white boxes filled with bonbons of the prevailing colors. The wedding of Miss Ferris and Mr. Beckeman will be an event of November. The prospective bridegroom is connected with the Westinghouse Machine Company and is a native of Gothenborg, Sweden, which place he left four years ago to come to Wilkinsburg.

Fulton-Eckert.

Miss Emma Johnston Fulton and Clarence Herbert Eckert, the latter of Hoytiville, Cal., were married last evening at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Fredonia J. Fulton, in Glenfield. The Rev. Ira Leeper, pastor of the Butler United Presbyterian church, and a cousin of the bride, performed the ceremony, assisted by the Rev. J. L. Fulton, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church of Allegheny. The bride was attended by four nieces, Miss Helen Fulton, Miss Elizabeth Fulton, Miss Monica Wiley and Miss Fredonia Fulton as flower girls. Lee Trimble of Allegheny was the best man. The bride was attired in a gown of white crepe de chine and lace and carried a bouquet of white roses. Only relatives witnessed the ceremony, which was performed at 5 o'clock. During the evening Mr. and Mrs. Eckert left for a western trip, at the conclusion of which they will live on Mr. Eckert's ranch in Hoytiville.

School Girls Are Honor Guests.

The members of the Sewickley school and college set were entertained last evening at the dance given in the Edgeworth club house by Mrs. George E. McCague. The honors of the occasion were shared by Miss Alice McCague, a daughter of the hostess, and her three visiting friends, Miss Marguerite Hubbard, of Cleveland, and Miss Miss Edith Semans and Miss Josephine Boyd both of Uniontown. The four honor guests are St. Margaret's school girls and will resume their studies at that institution on September 18. The club house was tastefully decorated last evening, yellow daisies adorning the centers of the several tables used for supper, while in the ball room the lines were softened by clumps of hydrangeas and canas, with smilax trailed over the doors and windows.

Will Have Large Wedding.

The Westminster Presbyterian church in Elizabeth, N. J., will be the scene of the wedding of Miss Mabel MacLean of that place and Robert Coleman Johnston of this city. The church ceremony will be followed by a reception at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Neal MacLean. The prospective bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. James Johnston of Bartlett street, Squirrel Hill, who will go to Elizabeth for the wedding. Another son, J. Howard Johnston, and a daughter of the house, Miss Stella Johnston, will be included in the bridal party. Mr. Johnston has been living in New York city for some time, but after the wedding he will take his bride to Norfolk, Va., to which place his business has been transferred.

Clawson-Speigel.

GREENSBURG, PA., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—A pretty wedding here this evening was that of Miss Laurena Clawson, daughter of Former Sheriff Lucien Clawson, and Attorney Jay R. Speigel. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. J. Miller, pastor of Zion Lutheran church, in the presence of immediate relatives and members of the Bohemian club.

Informal Tea in the Valley.

Miss Elizabeth Grove of Glen Osborne was hostess at a charmingly appointed little tea yesterday afternoon, the guests having been asked to meet her house guest, Miss Anna Graff of Kittanning, who is spending the week in the valley. Miss Grove was assisted by her mother, Mrs. J. W. Grove, who poured tea, and by little Miss Elizabeth and Miss Isabel Arrott and Miss Mary Grove. Miss Marguerite Hubbard of Cleveland, Miss Josephine Boyd and Miss Edith Semans, both of Uniontown, who are visiting Miss Alice McCague, received with the hostess and Miss Graff.

Wedding in Braddock.

Miss Alberta Boyle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Boyle, 209 Bell avenue, North Braddock, and Oakey E. Ruttenvutter were married at 11 o'clock yesterday morning at the home of the bride's parents. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. P. Turner, D. D., pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church, Braddock, and was witnessed by only relatives and a few close friends. There were no attendants. A wedding breakfast followed the ceremony, and Mr. and Mrs. Ruttenvutter left on an eastern trip. They will live in Braddock.

American Missionaries in Danger.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Erskine of Amanda street, Knoxville, have received a cablegram from their son, the Rev. William Erskine, who is stationed in Akita-Akita, Japan, that he, his wife and the other missionaries at that station have had to flee to the mountains to avoid the riots. Mr. Erskine also said that although each member of the party was safe, none would be able to return to the city for several months. Mr. Erskine and his wife, nee Miss Elizabeth Stewart, went to Japan as missionaries of the Christian church shortly after their marriage last fall.

Home from the West.

Mrs. E. K. Morse and her two daughters, Miss Edwina Morse and Miss Lucille Morse, have returned to their home in North Craig street, Beilefield, after an absence of three months in the west. They toured all the points of interest in California, spent a month in the Catalina Islands, visited the Lewis and Clarke exposition in Portland, and en route home stopped in Seattle, Chicago and Cleveland. During their stay in the Catalina Island they were accompanied by Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Rex of Ellsworth avenue and Neville street, this city.

Kohn-Friedman.

One of the largest weddings ever celebrated in McKeesport and the first to be performed in the new synagogue of the Genuine Chesed congregation at McKeesport, was that of Miss Helen Kohn, daughter of Mrs. Sara Kohn of 215 Market street, and Jacob Friedman, a Butler business man. Miss Katherine Kohn, a sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Max Gottesman of Brownsville was best man. The ceremony was attended by over 500 friends and relatives. A reception followed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Friedman will leave this morning for an eastern trip. They will live at Butler.

At-Home Days Announced.

Days at home in Curtain avenue, Beltzhoover, after October 4 have been announced by Miss Stella Erskine and James Adamson, who are to be married next Wednesday evening, the Rev. Fred M. Gordon, pastor of the Knoxville church, will solemnize the marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Erskine, in Amanda street, Knoxville, at 8 o'clock. The bride-elect is a niece of Mrs. Clarence Burleigh of Oakland.

Nelson-Wilsher.

Miss Ida May Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Nelson of Taylor avenue, Crafton, was married last evening at 8 o'clock to Robert Charles Wilsher of Carnegie. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. F. Sanders of Pittsburgh. The maid of honor was Miss Alvira Nelson, sister of the bride, and Albert Young, a cousin of the bride, was best man. After a wedding trip of two weeks Mr. and Mrs. Wilsher will live in Crafton.

Ellis-Evans.

UNIONTOWN, PA., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—The wedding of David C. Evans and Miss Frank Alberta Ellis took place this morning at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Ellis, in Uniontown, the Rev. William Ellis, uncle of the bride, officiating. They left for a wedding trip in the east.

Announce Their Engagement.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Announcement was made today of the engagement of Miss Lottie Perry and S. Claude Robinson of this city. The wedding will take place this fall.

Among the Clubs.

Club Season Opened by Wimodausis.

The Wimodausis club took the initiative this year in inaugurating the club season, and yesterday held one of the most delightful of presidents' day receptions. The reception followed the first business meeting of the club and was conducted in the assembly room of Syria Temple. There were several hundred women in attendance, including over 50 of the presidents of other women's clubs in this city, Wilkinsburg and the suburbs, and other prominent club women. The guests were received by the president, Mrs. John H. Armstrong; the retiring president, Mrs. William J. Askin, and Mrs. Reese Lindsay, chairman of the social reception committee, assisted by the other officers of the club and members of the social committee.

Mrs. Armstrong made the opening address, voicing a plea for frequent conferences, at least once a quarter, between the different clubs for the mutual benefit of the clubs and to the end that they may co-operate in helpful movements, both civic and philanthropic. She was followed by the visitors, who presented greetings from the different clubs and organizations they represented, among them being Mrs. Levi Bird Doff, vice-chairman of the permanent civic committee; Mrs. Samuel A. Ammon, regent of the Pittsburgh chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution; Mrs. George A. Gormley, president of the Twentieth Century club; Mrs. James R. Kibler, New Era club; Mrs. James McKelvey, Woman's club; Mrs. Alfred E. Clarke, Travelers club; Miss Mary Goldie, Thursday Afternoon club of Wilkinsburg; Mrs. Dallas Aibert, Pittsburgh Society; Mrs. George Schmidt, Edgewood Woman's club; Mrs. Franklin P. Iams, Soho public bath committee; Mrs. Henry J. Bailey, Mrs. Robert Coard and others. Mrs. William J. Askin made the closing address, urging greater reciprocity between the clubs. Mrs. Edwin Miller had charge of the music for the afternoon.

After this program the visitors and members of the Wimodausis went to the banquet room where refreshments were served at small tables. The decorations both in the assembly room and in the banquet room were deep pink asters, the colors throughout being pink and white.

At the business meeting of the club delegates were elected to represent the club at the annual meeting of the State Federation of Pennsylvania Women in Cambridge Springs, next month. The delegates include the president, Mrs. John H. Armstrong, Miss Mary Steel, Mrs. D. J. Evans and Mrs. William J. Askin; alternates, Mrs. Samuel S. Miller, Miss Thomas and Mrs. James Sprague. Announcement was made of the euchre and dance which the Wimodausis club will give at Luna Park, September 30, for the benefit of the building fund for the club house.

Support Nurse in Philippines.

A meeting of the St. Barnabas guild of this city will be held in a few days to elect delegates to attend the annual convention of the national association, which will be held in Charleston, S. C., in October. Each auxiliary guild, regardless of its membership, is privileged to send its secretary, chaplain and two members to represent it at the national convention. The national body supports a missionary nurse in the Philippines. At the coming convention the annual election of officers will be held, reports of the work of the missionary nurse will be heard and general plans discussed and formulated for general religious and philanthropic work to be carried on through the auxiliaries where they are strong enough. Orange, N. J., has the largest auxiliary guild, and others are established in the large cities of New England, New York, Pennsylvania and the middle west. A few have been organized in the southern states, the principal ones being in Charleston, Asheville, Washington, D. C., and St. Louis. The Pittsburgh guild has a membership of 60. The membership of the guilds is composed of trained nurses of any denomination, together with rectors and laymen of Protestant Episcopal churches.

Still Working for State Registration.

The Graduate Nurses' association of Pennsylvania will hold its annual meeting in New Castle the third week in October. The association will at that time commence its work of preparing a new bill requiring state registration of trained nurses which will be presented at the next session of the legislature. The association has over a year in which to prepare the public for the new bill designed to take the place of the bill presented last winter and which failed of passage.

See Missionaries Sail.

Mrs. H. C. Campbell, president of the United Presbyterian Women's association, and also an official of the Women's Missionary association of the United Presbyterian church, with Mrs. D. M. Hill, foreign secretary of the Women's Missionary society, reached Pittsburgh yesterday morning after a short visit in New York. While absent they witnessed the departure of a company of missionaries sailing for mission fields in Egypt and India, in the party being 12 men and women and seven children. Seven of the 12 missionaries are women, three of them being missionaries' wives. Four are going to the foreign fields under the auspices of the Women's society, the others under the direction of the board of foreign missions of the United Presbyterian church. Nearly all were returning to former fields of labor.

Will Furnish Memorial Rooms.

The committee which met yesterday afternoon at the United Presbyterian Home for the Aged in Wilkinsburg, to arrange for furnishing the new wing, did not complete its work, and will meet again next week. The committee plans to furnish only the memorial rooms now, leaving the others to be arranged for after the formal opening and dedication, which will take place early in November.

Social Meeting and Reunion.

The Woman's club of Oakmont will have a social meeting and reunion on Friday at the home of Mrs. William Wade. It will be the first meeting of the members of the club since the spring, and each one will give a brief account of her summer vacation. Mrs. Hugo Rosenberg of the Woman's club of Pittsburgh and the Columbian Council of Jewish Women will make an address.

Carnegie's Monday Club Opens Season.

The first meeting of the season of the Monday club of Carnegie was held Monday at the home of Mrs. E. W. Powers, the new president. The theme for study this year is Holland. The next meeting will be held September 25.

SEARCHING FOR A MOTHER.

Robert Dougherty, a Marine in San Francisco, but Formerly of Pittsburgh, Is Dead.

Robert Dougherty, a marine stationed in San Francisco and supposed to be a resident of Pittsburgh, died last Wednesday at that place from a pistol shot, thought probably to have been fired by himself.

Supt. Wallace received a letter yesterday from B. R. Patrick, chaplain of the naval station at San Francisco, requesting an effort be made here to find Dougherty's mother. When Dougherty enlisted in the marine corps in February, 1901, he said he was born in Belfast, Ireland on October 24, 1879. His next of kin, he said was his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth L. Dougherty of 1973 Fifth avenue, this city.

After Dougherty's death the coroner sent a telegram to that address which was returned "not found," and Chaplain Patrick later wrote a letter, to which he received no reply. The police found there was no number 1973 on Fifth avenue, and are at a loss where else to inquire.

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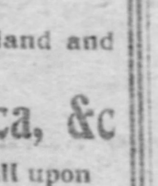

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(c) Where the load exceeds 3,000 but not 4,000 pounds, the tires shall be less than 4 inches broad.

(d) Where the load exceeds 4,000 pounds the tires shall not be less than 6 inches broad.

2. No person shall use on the said improved county roads a chain or any other than a steel shoe "Shell-lock," of a suitable pattern, approved by the road engineer.

3. No person shall wilfully place dirt, stone rubbish or debris of any kind on said improved county roads, or in any manner obstruct the drainage thereof.

4. Any person who shall be guilty of violating any of the foregoing rules, for each and every violation, shall pay a pecuniary penalty of ten ($10.00) dollars, to be recovered as provided in said act of assembly, approved the 3d day of April, A. D. 1905.

5. These rules shall go into effect on and after September 1, A. D. 1905.

Ordained and adopted this 8th day of August, A. D. 1905.

JAMES RYAN,
J. A. CLARK,
C. B. PRICE,
County Commissioners.

NOTE—Any person who shall be guilty of violating any of the above rules is subject to a fine of not less than five ($5.00) dollars and not more than one hundred ($100.00) dollars, upon summary conviction by a justice of the peace, or after magistrate having the jurisdiction and powers of a justice of the peace, as provided in said act of general assembly approved the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1905.

W. J. BRYAN IS BOOMED AS THE LEADER OF DEMOCRACY

Jefferson Day Festivities at Chicago Are Turned to Political Purposes.

PRESIDENCY IS DISCUSSED

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—William Jennings Bryan, soon to leave for a tour of the world, was the recipient of a notable testimonial of esteem tonight at a banquet given in his honor, by the Jefferson club. Among those present were Ollie M. James of Kentucky and Mayor Dunne of Chicago. William Prentis was toastmaster. He introduced as the first speaker Congressman Rainey of Illinois, who spoke of "Our Obligations as a World Power, at Home and Abroad." Congressman Rainey's address had as its keynote trade expansion and the need of tariff revision. He concluded, amid applause, with expressions of admiration for Mr. Bryan and wishes for a pleasant tour and a safe return of Mr. Bryan "to those whom he loves and who love him."

Judge J. B. Tarvin of Covington, Ky., declared for Mr. Bryan as the standard-bearer of Democracy in 1908. He brought out a great outburst of applause when he said:

You will look for a man who stands for something, and will adopt the platform that can bear but one construction. It will be a Democratic platform as Democracy is construed to be, by an overwhelming majority of those who claim to be within that party. Who will it be? I say that we want a man who can win. We will allow no personal feeling or regard to influence. There can be but one answer. William J. Bryan has been through the fiery furnace again and again, and yet again. As a result he stands today twice defeated for the presidency, the foremost man in America.

Municipal Ownership Coming.

Mayor Dunne responded to the toast: "The Progress of Municipal Ownership." He said in part:

We have met tonight to honor and wish bon-voyage to our distinguished and admired guest, Col. Bryan. We admire and respect him because at all times and under all circumstances, and in every place in which he found himself, he has stood for purity in politics, and place man before mammon.

Whether in victory or in defeat, he has always stood for the right, and the man who so acts must always earn, as he has earned, the respect and confidence of his fellow countrymen, and now that he is leaving us for a trip abroad, our good wishes go with him and we ask him, in his travels abroad, to note well the advantages and disadvantages of governmental institutions, and to bring back to us the benefits of his observations and experience. And particularly we ask him to inquire into and report to us the results which he discovers of the operation of great public utilities, in private and in public hands.

Mayor Dunne then discussed the progress made toward municipal ownership in Chicago since the spring election of 1905, saying that he has no doubt that the plan which he had submitted to the city council would, if adopted, bring about municipal ownership at a very early date. He continued:

No vital feature of the plan has been successfully attacked. It has been subjected to abuse but not criticism, to vilification but not analysis. It will stand the test of honest inspection and straightforward investigation. The fights that friends of municipal ownership have inaugurated will go on. Every possible obstacle will be thrown in its way by the vested interests behind the present traction companies. Every trick and artifice that the wily and well-paid agents of the traction companies can conceive of or bring forth will be brought to bear against it. But the onward march toward municipal ownership both in this city and throughout the civilized world, will be simply retarded but never defeated.

The Hon. Ollie M. James of Kentucky spoke as follows:

The Democratic party of the United States looks to Bryan as its leader; he stands for something, he has convictions and courage to express them; no longer do the 6,500,000 loyal Democrats look to the east. The wise men used to be there, but with the star of empire, westward they have taken their way. Listening no longer to the siren song of "anything to win," no longer deluded by the promise of campaign contributions, we bravely nail at the masthead of Democracy this doctrine: "What shall it profit the Democratic party if it gain all the trusts and lose the common party?"

Kentucky, whose Democracy has been tried in blood, declares that with the passing years her love grows greater for Bryan, Bryan, Bryan.

Mr. Bryan's Talk.

The Hon. William J. Bryan, in responding to the toast "Democracy vs. Centralization," said:

The partial adoption by some of the Republican leaders of remedies proposed by the Democratic party makes it opportune to draw a distinction between the fundamental principles of Democracy and the principles of those who view subjects of government from a different standpoint. There are two forces constantly at work in every nation; one force tending to bring the government nearer to the people and the other tending to carry the government from the people. To go a little farther back, we may start with a proposition that there are but two theories of government, one that a government is a thing created by the people for themselves. This is the theory which is embodied in our Declaration of Independence, which declares that governments derive their just powers from the consent of the governed.

The opposite theory is that governments are imposed by the few upon the many—such governments rest on force. Few, if any governments now known entirely exemplify either theory—nearly all, if not all, of them representing a compromise between the two theories; but in every government there is a tendency either in one direction or the other. If we may represent self government as the day and an arbitrary and irresponsible government as the night, then most governments would represent the twilight. The twilight that precedes the dawn gradually brightens into day. The twilight that precedes the night ends in darkness. It is very important, therefore, that the tendency of a government shall be toward the light. In using the twilight I recognize that it is not a perfect illustration, because the dawn always grows brighter, while the shades of night always grow darker. Possibly it would be more accurate to describe the contest between Democracy and centralization as like a game of football, in which the government may be carried this way or that way, according as it is in the hands of one side or the other, the ultimate goals being at opposite ends of the field.

NEW LODGE, NEW TEMPLE, FOR M'KEESPORT MASONS

Officers of the Grand Lodge Preside at Both Ceremonies—Banquet in the Evening.

McKeesport Masons laid the corner stone of the new temple at Sixth avenue and Walnut street, and the new McKeesport lodge was instituted yesterday, both ceremonies being in charge of grand lodge officers, headed by Worshipful Grand Master J. W. Brown of Pittsburgh. The lodge was instituted at noon at the present quarters of the Masons in Fifth avenue, and the corner stone laying took place at 4 o'clock.

Among the visitors were Grand Master Brown, Judge J. B. Orlady, senior grand warden; George W. Kendrick, Jr., deputy grand master; William A. Sinn, grand secretary; Samuel W. Wray, grand tyler; William J. Kelly, past grand master; John A. Berry, deputy grand secretary; William P. Joslyn, instructor of the work; George J. Vandergrift, grand sword bearer; John O'Donnell, grand marshal and Francisco B. Gilbert, grand steward.

At the close of the lodge institution the visitors, in charge of the local fraternity, marched from headquarters in Fifth avenue, behind a brass band to the new temple. There the corner stone was laid. The exercises were brief, and at the close the officers and members returned to the hall in Fifth avenue. Last night the visiting members were tendered a banquet in the auditorium, Walnut street.

The directors and officers of the Masonic Hall association are William B. Peters, president; William Nagle, vice president; Robert G. Paluter, secretary; Robert E. Stone, treasurer; Jacob Bestwick, Robert Caughey, D. L. Clark, Thomas D. Gardner, George W. Hartman, Thomas C. Jones, Abner N. Lawson, E. W. Pitts, M. Wilson Stewart, Charles A. Tawney and Daniel E. Tobin.

McKeesport lodge, No. 641, F. & A. M., which was instituted today, is the third lodge organized in the city. The officers are Charles T. Moore, W. M.; Edmund W. Boots, S. W.; Frederick N. Frits, J. W.; Joseph B. Richey, secretary, and David W. Auld, treasurer. The new Masonic temple is to cost about $200,000 when completed. It will be five stories high, built of steel and brick with stone trimmings.

Small Boy Injured Internally.

Henry Freyer, 6 years old, of Stanton avenue, was run over by a wagon near his home yesterday afternoon. He was badly injured internally, and was removed to the East End hospital.

Sheet Music.
See our ad. on page 10.
The S. Hamilton Co.

Doesn't Stop Talking Till She Falls in Faint

"Judge, I never stole a thing in my life—never wuz arrested—always wuz a decent woman—don't know why I wuz brought here," etc., were the opening remarks of Mary Smith to Magistrate Kirby in Central station yesterday morning. Mary didn't get through with her plea until she lay insensible on the floor of a cell room nearly 10 minutes later. She delivered an incessant flow of forceful oratory and easily drowned the voices of all the police who tried to interfere with her remarks. She had to be dragged away to allow the court to proceed, and kept up her argument until she fainted. Later she was brought out under promise to allow the magistrate to say a word, and when he had the opportunity, he fined her $1 and costs for talking too much. She had been arrested on suspicion.

ARE AFTER A BIG TRACT OF VERY VALUABLE LAND

Claim Set Up for Possession of Hundreds of Acres in Hays and West Homestead.

L. A. Brunson, a business man of East McKeesport, with several other persons, is trying to establish his claim to about 850 acres of the most valuable land in Hays borough and West Homestead. The property is being sold in lots, much of it bringing $1,000 for 25 feet front, and is said to be worth about $10,000,000.

The land is said to have been acquired by the late Col. George McLaughlin through a colonial right bestowed upon him during the French and Indian war by the British government. The acquisition of the land has already been the cause of much litigation and thousands of dollars have been spent in a quiet way to bring documents regarding the matter to light.

One of the most valuable papers in the possession of the heirs is said to be will of Col. McLaughlin. The latter was an uncle of Brunson who became one of the heirs through the death of his father a short time ago. There are eight heirs to the property, among them being Mr. Brunson, Joseph Brunson of Sewickley, B. Irwin and J. Linhart of Irwin, Mrs. Joseph McDonald and William McDonald of Banksville.

OPEN SWITCH CAUSES WRECK ON WEST PENN

West Penn passenger train, known as the Blairsville mail, ran into an open switch near Creighton at 7:39 a. m. yesterday and collided with a freight engine. J. H. Hintermeister of Aspinwall, William Goldberg of Sharon and John Kepple of Apollo were slightly injured by being thrown out of their seats.

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PRODUCTION OF IRON IS GREATLY INCREASED

World's Output of Ore Growing Rapidly—Coal and Lignite Gaining.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 12.—James M. Swank in the Bulletin of the American Iron and Steel association now estimates the world's production of iron ore as amounting in 1880 to about 41,329,000 tons. In 1890 to about 57,474,000 tons, in 1900 to about 90,000,000 tons, and in 1903 to about 100,128,000, the contribution of the United States in the latter year amounting to 25,019,308 tons, or 34.95 per cent.

He also estimated the world's production of coal and lignite as amounting in 1873 to about 261,577,000 tons, in 1882 to about 408,012,000 tons, in 1304 to about 552,950,000 tons, and in 1903 to about 874,620,000 tons, our both the United States produced in the latter year 319,093,225 tons, or 36.48 per cent.

The Bulletin says: "In tables that have appeared in previous issues of our annual report we have given the world's probable total production of pig iron in 1800 as 825,000 English tons; in 1839 as 1,825,000 tons; in 1850 as 4,750,000 tons; in 1870 as 11,900,000 tons; in 1880 as 17,950,000 tons; in 1890 as 27,157,000 tons; in 1900 as 49,460,000 tons, and now our estimate for 1903 is 48,381,000 tons. If metric tons are reduced to gross tons the percentage of the United States in 1903 will be a little over 39 per cent.

"In one of our early annual reports we estimated the world's production of steel in 1878 as amounting to 2,631,000 English tons. Subsequently we estimated the production in 1889 as amounting to 10,348,000 tons. The above figures show that the world's production of steel had increased in 1903 to 35,583,000 tons. If gross tons only are considered the percentage of the United States in 1903 will be a little less than 41 per cent."

SOME OF THE RUSSIANS ARE STILL FIGHTING

TOKYO, Sept. 12.—A report from the Japanese headquarters says that in the direction of Hsing Ching Gen. Madrikoff with about three regiments opened an attack on Sushan on Monday, September 11, but was immediately repulsed by the Japanese. Madrikoff's force is said to have principally consisted of bandits.

Fail to Find Hidden Money.

When Miss Sadie Agus of Frederick avenue, Sewickley, arose yesterday morning she found her house had been entered during the night. The room of Byron Young, a boarder, had been visited, and Young's trousers taken downstairs, where $10 was taken from the pockets. The intruders also helped themselves to a luncheon from the sideboard. Young is a grocer, and it is supposed the robbers expected to get the money he brought home from his store Monday evening. Young had, however, put the day's receipts under his pillow and they were not disturbed.

CONGRESSMAN RIDER

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Hon. IRA EDGAR RIDER

Hon. Ira E. Rider, whose letter is published below, is member of congress for the Fourteenth New York district. He lives in New York city, is associated with the well-known law firm, Lenow, MacKellar, Guy & Wells, and was Secretary of the borough of Manhattan for four years.

Many of the legislators at Washington have learned the merit of Doan's Kidney Pills through personal use and heartily recommend them. Mr. Rider writes:

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Yours truly,
(Signed) I. E. RIDER.

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PITTSBURGH TESTIMONY

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It contains *more pages* devoted to Fashions and Dress Topics *than any two other* magazines.

Its Special Reports of New York and Paris Fashion News are the exclusive contributions of Helen Berkeley-Loyd and M. Edouard La Fontaine, the two recognized world-authorities on Styles.

Its fashion plates, beginning with this number, show no less than five distinctly different forms of illustration—the work of artists who have no equal anywhere in their respective methods of delineation.

One of the most noteworthy of innovations is the printing of sixteen of the fashion plates in two colors—*in addition to* the regular full-color plates.

Next month this color feature will be even more in evidence.

The Delineator has always given the most in quality and in quantity for its subscription price—it is now giving more—*much more*—than ever.

For example, *20 pages of Juvenile Fashions* in this number with illustrations by Carl Kleinschmidt, Anna Burnham Westermann and others.

Besides the Fashions—and the Household Departments which have made The Delineator famous—some features among the many deserve special mention:

Out To-day

"Safe Foods and How to Get Them" is the series title under which The Delineator begins its campaign in the interest of Pure Food. This question is more widely agitated at present than ever before, and much that is sensational and untrue has been printed about adulterations in prepared foods, etc. The Delineator for more than a year has been conducting a far-reaching investigation of its own, at a very considerable expense, with the aid of the foremost authorities—and the result is this series of articles which every housewife and every parent will read and value for its practical help in the home. The present chapter treats of Milk—how to detect and guard against impurities, etc.

To every one who cares for a child's mental training, the article on *"Education for Life Through Living"* by Dr. William H. Maxwell, LL.D., Superintendent of Schools, New York City, will be worth many times the price of the magazine. It is profusely illustrated from life. Supt. Maxwell's great victory for modern methods in child-education is so recent and so widely known that anything on this subject from his pen is noteworthy. He has been so widely quoted and so generally misquoted, that these special articles, written for The Delineator, the first he has ever written on the subject for publication over his own signature, will attract the interest of every educator in the land—whether she be the mother in the home or the teacher in the school.

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TEACHERS NAMED; CONTRACTS GIVEN

Technical Schools Committee Appoints William Pfouts and Albert Mamatey.

LOCAL FIRMS' BID TAKEN

In addition to letting a number of large contracts, the committee on technical schools yesterday appointed two assistant instructors in the School of Apprentices and Journeymen. The appointees are William Pfouts of Youngstown, O., who is named as assistant instructor of pattern making, and Albert Mamatey, who has been connected with the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company for 11 years.

Mr. Pfouts, who is 35 years old, has been connected with a number of the largest engineering companies in this section of the country. He has resided for about 10 years in Youngstown, where he is ranked as one of the most capable patternmakers in that city. He is a native of Canton, O., and was educated in the public schools and the Canton High school. He has been employed by the following concerns: Canton Surgical and Dental Chair Company, Kelly & Jones, Morgan Engineering Company of Alliance, O.; Walker Manufacturing Company, Cleveland; Forsythe Pattern works, Youngstown, O.; William Tod & Co., Youngstown, and the Youngstown Engineering Company.

Mr. Mamatey, who is also 35 years old, was born in Austria, and received his education in the elementary and preparatory schools, with three years in the Prague Industrial school. After serving as tool-maker and machinist in several railroad and industrial establishments in Austria, he came to this country in 1893 and has worked continuously since 1894 as toolmaker and machinist for the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company.

The contracts awarded yesterday include considerable heavy machinery, such as lathes and other machine tools, as well as chemical and physical laboratory supplies and furniture. The successful bidders were Dauler, Close & Johns, Somers, Fitler & Todd, the Hukill-Hunter company, the Joseph Woodwell company, the Logan-Gregg Hardware Company and the Pittsburgh Supply Company, all of Pittsburgh; William Bond & Son., Boston; Brown & Sharpe Manufacturing Company, Providence, R. I.; Arthur H. Thomas Company, Philadelphia, and James G. Biddle, Philadelphia.

SOUSA AIMS TO PLEASE EXPOSITION PATRONS

The Popular Bandmaster Is One of the Musical World's Busiest Men.

Sousa, the great bandmaster, and his musicians, attracted large crowds to the Exposition yesterday afternoon and last evening. The demand for encores at all four concerts was strong and Sousa proved himself the same clever man as of yore by responding to most of the calls. Sousa's new march, "The Diplomat," was given several renditions and each time it was repeated the big music hall resounded with the cheers of approval called forth by the stirring measures of the composition.

Sousa is one of the busiest of men in the musical world nowadays. After his return from abroad with his band, he gave a number of concerts in Chicago, New York and Philadelphia, and he will return to New York on Saturday night to complete a tour of other eastern and western cities before returning to the Exposition for the closing week. His new book, "Pipetown Sandy," has been out just 10 days and in that time there has been a wonderful demand for it.

Sousas' new opera, which he is working on in conjunction with Harry B. Smith, will not be ready until the first of next year. It is practically completed, but there is yet some touching up. Mr. Sousa says, which is necessary before he is thoroughly satisfied with it. He will say nothing about the opera other than it is soon to be finished. He has been at work on it for nearly two years, and so far as operatic work is concerned.

Included in the program for this afternoon are selections from Tschaikowsky, Wagner and Meyerbeer. Gems from "Martha," airs from "El Capitan" and "Songs and Dances of the Plantation" popularizing the programs, which are as follows:

Grand Russian March, "Slav"...Tschaikowsky
Euphonium Solo, "Fantasie Original"...Carlini
Mr. John J. Perfetto.
Suite, "Mountain Life".....Le Thiere
(a) Sunrise.
(b) The Mulateer.
(c) The Storm.
(d) Dance of the Mountaineers.
Elizabeth's Prayer from "Tannhauser"...
.....Wagner
Miss Ada Chambers.
Gems from "Martha".....Flotow
"Pictures in a Dream".....Lumbye
Airs from "El Capitan".....Sousa
Cornet Solo, "Rondo Caprice".....Clarke
Mr. Herbert L. Clarke.
Fantasia, "The Prophet".....Meyerbeer
Reverie for Violin, "Nymphalin".....Sousa
Miss Jennie Straus.
Mosaic, "In the Realm of the Dance"...Sousa
(Founded on famous waltz themes.)
Songs and Dances of the Plantation....Clarke

McKeesport Pastor Resigns.

The Rev. A. W. Caldwell, pastor of the First United Presbyterian church, McKeesport, has tendered his resignation on account of ill health and the fact that he has received a call to the pastorate of the Cochranton (Pa.) church, which is in a country district. Mr. Caldwell went to the McKeesport church about two years ago.

HIGHEST BRIDGE FORMALLY OPENS

It Spans the Zambesi River in the Heart of Equatorial Africa.

PART OF CAPE TO CARIO ROAD

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

VICTORIA FALLS, ZAMBESI RIVER, EAST AFRICA, Sept. 12.—The bridge over the Zambesi river was formally opened today in the presence of the visiting members of the British association. Prof. Darwin made the opening speech. He commented on the remarkable achievement which permitted a party traveling in electric-lighted saloon cars to visit a place which heroic explorers had spent months of fruitless endeavor to reach. Prof. Darwin quoted the forecast written by Erasmus Darwin in 1785: Soon shall thy arm, unconquered, steam afar, Urge the slow barge and draw the flying car.

How little, he said, could the writer of these lines have foreseen for his great grandson the honor of opening a railway bridge in the heart of Equatorial Africa.

At the conclusion of his speech Prof. Darwin touched an electric button which fused a wire stretched across the track of the bridge, and an engine decorated with Union Jacks passed over. The party then proceeded on an excursion to Livingstone island.

The bridge over the Zambesi river, the highest in the world, was linked up at 7 a. m., April 1 of the present year, thus completing another link in the Cape-to-Cairo railway. The bridge, which is of cantilever type, is 420 feet above the river at low water, and crosses over the gorge at Victoria Falls. It was built by an English company on the girder pattern, is constructed in three spans and has a width of 30 feet.

The Cape-to-Cairo railway is an endeavor initiated by the late Cecil Rhodes, to connect Egypt and South Africa by a line 5,700 miles long. From the north the railway has reached Khartoum, a distance tallowing for the river gap between Assuan and Wady Halfa) of 1,400 miles.

In the south good progress has been made north of the Zambesi on the section, known as the northern extension, from the Victoria falls to Kaloma, the administrative center of Barotseland, a distance of 100 miles. From Kaloma the line is to be continued for another 250 miles in a northeasterly direction. It is probable that from Tanganyika there will be two lines, one through the Kongo and another through German territory.

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Fifth Ave., 6218, P. L. Jones.
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Forbes and Gybella St., Morgan's Pharmacy.
Fifth Ave., 1221, Robin Drug Co.
Fifth Ave., 2236, C. T. Spence.
Fifth Ave., 642, W. Sawhill & Son.
Fifth Ave., 1426, Snalback Bros.
Fifth Ave., 1712, Thumm Bros.
Fifth Ave., 1430, Thumm Bros.
Fifth Ave., 1719, G. A. Yockrodt.
Fifth Ave., 2130, C. J. Weiss.
Fifth Ave., 1401, C. L. Young.
Forbes St., 3706, A. M. Muchnic.
Forbes St., 2635, J. M. Hohman.
Frankstown and Brushton Ave., J. D. Loughridge.
Frankstown Ave., 31, L. W. Seaton.
Frankstown and Homewood Ave., Winfield S. Smith.
Frankstown Ave., 205, H. O. Danner.
Frankstown Cor. Homewood Ave., Edwin T. Schilling.
Felton St., 108, Wm. Schuchman.
Grandview Ave., 1225, Grandview Ave. Pharmacy.
Grandview Ave., 1215, Frank D. Hodil.
Greenfield Ave., 115, Fred W. Ertzman.
Hamilton and Dallas Ave., Dallas Pharmacy.
Herron and Madison Aves., Richard McNally.
Herron and Wylie Ave., Vogel's Drug Store.
Highland and Center Ave., Highland Pharmacy.
Homewood and Bennett St., J. R. Gasaway.
Homewood and Hamilton Ave., J. R. McCreary.
Hamilton and Collier St., H. Smith.
Hastings and Reynolds, J. H. Steffler.
Kelley and Dallas Ave. J. F. McCabe.
Liberty St., 4724, E. J. Aul.
Lincoln Ave., 1903, Brilliant Pharmacy.
Lincoln Ave., 1500, Otto F. Freebing.
Lincoln Ave. and Lake St., T. J. Hermann.
Liberty Ave., 4777, C. A. Shilling.
Larimer Ave., 321, Larimer Pharmacy.
Lang and Frankstown Ave., H. C. Murta.
Liberty Ave., 4540, J. E. Nichols.
Liberty Ave., 5100, C. E. Ringer.
Liberty St., 4730, Schilling & Thompson.
Lincoln Ave., 1424, Weaver's Pharmacy.
Meadow and Larimer, F. J. Brehm.
Main and Wabash, W. E., Montgomery's Pharmacy.
Main St., 192, Greinelsen's Pharmacy.
North Highland Ave., 500, Hoge's Pharmacy.
Neville St. and Center Ave., Porter & Porter.
Ophelia and Kennett, Schilling & Thompson.
Penn Ave., 7103, J. R. L. Brown.
Penn and Main, Erskine's Drug Store.
Penn Ave., 4323, Garfield Pharmacy.
Penn Ave., 4207, T. J. Guyton.
Penn Ave., 3856, F. H. Hess.
Penn Ave., 6126, J. Henriet.
Penn Ave., 5100, L. B. Hughes.
Park Ave., 401, R. B. McKelvey.
Penn Ave., 1251, T. W. D. Hieber.
Penn Ave., 1701, Erskine & Wicks.
Penn Ave., 4502, Ed. J. Johnston.
Penn Ave., 2921, L. E. Outelis.
Penn Ave., 7603, I. M. Patterson.
Penn Ave., 5400, Cor. Rebecca St., Hughes' Pharmacy.
Penn Ave., 6359, S. N. Wickersham.
Penn Ave. and Evaline, 5147, J. C. Smith.
Penn Ave., 2,000, Corner Drug Store.
Pius St., No. 4, Pius St. Pharmacy.
Salisbury St., 2503, Edward J. Bantz.
Sarah St., 2135, South Side Pharmacy.
Second Ave., 4751, Lecrone Bros. & Clark.
Second Ave., 4900, Lutz & Rodemoyer.
Second Ave., 5100, Elisabeth Pharmacy.
Second Ave., 5424, Jones & Stiefel.
Second Ave., 5330, C. W. O'Sullivan.
Second, cor. Grant, Louis Emanuel.
Sheridan Ave. and Station St., G. H. Glass.
Shiloh St., 42, J. Spohn.
Shiloh St., 54, J. F. Murphy.
Southern Ave., 1838, Birmingham Pharmacy.
Station St. and Larimer Ave., Station Pharmacy.
St. Clair and Broad St., St. Clair Pharmacy.
St. Clair and Jackson St., Porter's Pharmacy.
Tioga and Rosedale St., Rosedale Pharmacy.
Walnut and Bellefonte St., 6501, L. M. Hamilton.
Ward and Semple Sts., H. P. Reiser.
Ward St., 3416, Sunderland's Pharmacy.
Washington St., 68, Calabrese Pharmacy.
Washington Ave., 102, Washington Avenue Pharmacy.
Washington Ave., S. S., 80, W. J. Forrest.
Washington Ave., S. S., 92, Lorenz S. Riott.
Washington Ave. and Allen Ave., W. L. Sutter.
Wood Ave., 610, Calabrese Pharmacy.
Webster Ave., 1901, Edward J. Kretz.
Wylie Ave., 715, Taylor's Pharmacy.
Wylie Ave. 1400, D. K. Thumm.
Wylie Ave., 1360, Library Pharmacy.
Wylie Ave., 1701, McMurray & Reich.
Wylie Ave., 2455, Elmer H. Meivin.
Wylie Ave., 2176, James Sterling.
Wylie Ave., 1091, John Beck.
Butler and 46th St., S. L. Bellman.
Liberty and 33rd, H. Wurstell.
Penn and 34th, G. W. Tas.
Sarah and 27th Sts., Liebert's Pharmacy.

MCKEESPORT, PA.

Atlantic Ave., 316, Camp's Pharmacy.
Fifth Ave., 736, Geo. W. Herold.
Fifth Ave., 1211, Bert G. McLure.
Fifth Ave., 214, J. F. Walker.
Walnut St., 1105, E. R. Goldsmith.

ETNA, PA.

Evergreen Ave. Pharmacy, 303 Butler St.
Bridge St., 62, S. E. Zank, Etna, Pa.
Butler St., 626, K. L. Cottrelle, Etna, Pa.
Butler St., 637, J. J. Kell, Etna, Pa.
Butler St., 356, F. M. Metz, Etna.

EAST PITTSBURGH, PA.

Brinton, Cor. Bessemer Ave., Bessemer Pharmacy.
Linden Ave., Nevin Pharmacy.
E. J. Eyrns.

AVALON, PA.

California Ave., 606, McCormick's Drug Store, Avalon, Pa.
R. W. Henderson, Avalon, Pa.

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Any druggist in the two cities will receive your Want and Real Estate ads and forward them direct to The Gazette at main office rates—penny a word. No ads taken for less than 10 words.

THE THREE RIVERS

The stage of water at Davis island dam at 9 o'clock last night was 3.8 feet, and the river was stationary.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 12.—At 6 p. m. the Ohio river was 7.2 feet and falling. A rise of more than 4 feet has been reported from the headwaters of the Allegheny river. This rain is reported to be of a local nature, however, and the rise will not reach Cincinnati with substantial force. The managers of the packets do not seem to have any faith in the rise and none of them have ordered their boats for service. The rise out of the Pittsburgh district will not help the Kanawha boats any. Several of them have laid up on account of the low stage of water. There is but three feet of water at Point Pleasant. The Robert F. Gilham and the E. R. Andrews are laid up at the mouth of the Great Kanawha at Point Pleasant and the D. T. Lane and W. B. Calderwood are laid up at the mouth of Campbells creek. The rivermen of Cincinnati are a unit in the movement to improve the river with ice piers. Clear and pleasant.

LOUISVILLE—River stationary; in canal, 5.7 feet; on falls, 1.5 feet; below locks, 7.0 feet. Clear and pleasant.

MARIETTA—River 4 feet and rising. Clear, warmer. Bessie Smith for Wheeling, noon. Capt. James A. Henderson of Pittsburgh is in the city.

POINT PLEASANT—River 2 feet 6 inches and falling. Clear. Down: Tacoma.

OIL CITY—River 1 foot 7 inches and falling. Clear.

GREENSBORO—River 8 feet 2 inches and rising. Fair and warm. Columbia down Wednesday; Woodward up.

MORGANTOWN—River 6 feet 8 inches and rising. Fair.

GALLIPOLIS—River 4 feet and stationary. Clear and pleasant.

PARKERSBURG—River 8.3 feet and stationary. Clear and warm. The Bessie Smith left for Wheeling; the Valley Belle left for Middleport.

WARREN—River at low water mark. Fair and warm.

STEUBENVILLE—River 9 feet 5 inches and rising. Cloudy and warm. Up: Boaz, 4 p. m.

RIVERS REACH BARGE STAGE.

About Two Million Bushels of Coal Go Out on a Little Rise.

Nearly 2,000,000 bushels of coal were shipped yesterday on a rise which was scarcely looked for the day before. The River Coal Company started the Coal City, Tom Dodsworth, Charlie Brown, Valliant, Exporter and Sam Brown with 19 barges each. The Dilworth Coal Company sent the W. H. Flint with 11 barges and the United Coal Company the Helen White with 19. The Andrew Axton and John F. Klein will assist this boat down to Bellaire.

The rise keeps up the record for a shipment every month since navigation opened last spring, and runs along the record-breaking figures of the year.

Crews were sent down yesterday to bring up the S. H. H. Clark, Boaz and Raymond Horner, which were lying down the river with empties. Several boats got in yesterday from below Davis island with empties, and these were at once taken to the upper pools.

The high water interfered somewhat with the work on the government dams.

About 10,000,000 bushels of coal are in the harbor, and if the water holds up today another big shipment will be made.

Libels in admiralty were filed by Edward Coleman of Long Bottom, O., and J. K. Welcher of Moundsville, W. Va., against the dredgeboat Southern. Coleman alleges that he worked on the boat five and one-half days and that there is due him $11, while Welcher claims seven and a half days at $2.25 a day.

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With the Major of the Battalion and his staff will leave Pittsburgh for Philadelphia, via Pennsylvania Railroad on 17th inst. at 8:00 A. M. Rate for this occasion $10.000 round trip.

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Pupils.

See our ad. on page 10.
The S. Hamilton Co.

CLAIMS THERE WILL BE AN ANTHRACITE COAL STRIKE

Russian Jew Crank Arrested by President's Personal Guard Has Strange Ideas on Coal Question. Praise for Mr. Roosevelt.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

OYSTER BAY, L. I., Sept. 12.—Isaac Schamus, a Russian Jew, 20 years old, was arrested here late this afternoon, and after an examination before a justice of the peace, was sent to Mineola, L. I., to be examined as to his sanity.

The arrest was made by a secret service agent, one of the personal guards of President Roosevelt. Schamus, who resides in New York City, had an interview with Mr. Barnes, assistant secretary to the president. He desired to see the president and talk with him about the price of coal. There was imminent danger in his opinion of a general strike among the miners in the anthracite coal region of Pennsylvania.

Secretary Barnes recognized at once that Schamus was the man who recently had written one letter and sent two telegrams to the president on the subject of the price of coal, and he informed him that it would not be possible to arrange an interview for him at the moment. Later in the afternoon the secret service agents found Schamus and placed him under arrest.

He made no objection to accompanying the secret service man to the office of Justice Franklin. The justice questioned him at length in the presence of a throng of people. Schamus answered all questions intelligently and rationally until coal was mentioned. Then he began to deliver an address on the question of the alleged oppression of the people by the coal magnates.

He declared that had President Roosevelt not settled the coal strike three years ago, more blood would have been shed than the world ever saw. He pointed to President Roosevelt as an example of what a man could accomplish by individual effort and said every man could do as the president had done.

When Schamus was searched, a permit to carry a revolver signed by Capt. Lantry of the New York police force, and Commissioner of Police McAdoo was found on him.

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MEAT CUTTER—Young man, German preferred; reference required. 224 N. St. Clair st.

MEN—Experienced telephone switchboard men at once. Address P 11, The Gazette.

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ONE DOLLAR AN HOUR—If you live in a small town, in a large town or in any town at all, write us; we want to show you how to earn it per hour working for yourself; nothing to sell. D. W. Berry & Co., Hopkinsville, Ky.

ORGANIZER—To institute new divisions of the Sons of Temperance in Western Pennsylvania. For further information address Wm. E. Franklin, Sutterville, Pa.

SALESMAN—Young man with a little selling experience in any line to handle a high-grade article in Pennsylvania territory on salary and commission basis; only first-class man considered. Call, write, HAPGOODS, 705 Park Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

SALESMEN—Rock salesmen of ability on a very high-class proposition. Only those competent to get results need apply. 422 Park Bldg.

SALESMEN—Experienced, of neat appearance, who are looking for a good proposition. Adams Electric & Mfg. Co., 115 Ninth st.

SIX CARPENTERS; also six handy men for contracting company in city. MERCANTILE, Incorporated, 434 Fourth ave.

SINGING AND DANCING TEAM—The address of a black face singing and dancing team, also other talent, single and double, for evening of October 24, 1905. Address N 12, The Gazette.

STEAM drill runners wanted, good wages. Apply F. H. Clement & Co., Hoult, W. Va.

SUPERINTENDENT for concrete and fire proofing company; also concrete foreman. MERCANTILE, Incorporated, 434 Fourth ave.

STENOGRAPHER who is an architectural draughtsman and has had experience and draughting in architect's office; must be able to take care of correspondence and look after the office management; position will lead to salesman or branch office manager, salary $1,200-$1,500. Call, write, HAPGOODS, 705 Park Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

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THREE BLACKSMITHS, some steam hammer experience.
WHEEL BORER; experienced man only. MERCANTILE, Incorporated, 434 Fourth ave.

WANTED—Recruits for the U. S. Marine Corps, able-bodied, unmarried men between 21 and 35; good character; must speak, read and write English; citizens of the United States or those who have legally declared their intention to become such; marines serve at sea on men-of-war in all parts of the world, on land in our island possessions, and at naval stations in the United States. Apply Room 414, Postoffice Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

WANTED TODAY—Office assistant and stenographer, bookkeeper, collector, hardware, grocery, drygoods and other clerks; stenographer, warehouseman, machinist, carpenters, molders, delivery wagon drivers, teamsters, lineman, stableman, cook, waiter, luncheman, porter, farm and dairy hands. STAR BUREAU, 139 Sixth st.

YOUNG MEN

Wanted to solicit advertising on a big newspaper; experience not necessary; age about 17 or 18; must be neat and live at home; learners preferred; small salary to start. Address E 11, The Gazette.

WANTED—Agents for complete Russian-Japanese war book; good salary; samples free. Address Globe Co., 723 Chestnut st., Philada.

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YOUNG MEN—Learn telegraphy; 12 monthly salaries a year; catalogue free. Pennsylvania Telegraph College, 609 Lewis block.

10 BRICKLAYERS at once. Woodland road, near Wilkins ave.

Female Help.

COOK—White, to go to country, immediately, 120 miles east of Buffalo; family of two, no washing; wages, furnish references; fare paid. Address R 11, The Gazette.

COOKS—Three cooks, first, second and short order, at once; good wages. Room 1, 6112 Penn ave.

COOK $30, waitress $20, chambermaid $20. 207 West Ohio st., Allegheny.

COOK—Good wages, permanent place. 919 Federal st., Allegheny.

EXPERIENCED helpers on ladies' tailor made coats; good wages to right party. 302 Bessemer Bldg.

FIRST-CLASS fur fitter and repairer; give references and length of experience. Address E 21, The Gazette.

GIRL WANTED—Experienced girl or young woman to take charge of a child; references required. Call at 223 Fifth ave., Pittsburgh jewelry store.

GIRL—Young girl to assist with housework; must live at home. 37 E. Robinson st., Allegheny.

GIRL for housework; two in family; no washing; $4.50 week up. 207 W. Ohio st., Allegheny.

GIRL for light housework; small family; big wages. Room 1, 6117 Penn ave., 2nd floor.

GIRLS—Apply at Conroy, Prugh & Co., 1439 Western ave., Allegheny.

LADY CANVASSERS to take orders for our Peuro and Pearl Medallions; entirely new and sell at sight. Hustlers are making $5 per day.
UNIVERSAL COMPANY, 406 Smithfield st.

LADIES may obtain permanent employment selling hosiery direct to wearer. For sole agency write PEQUOT MILLS, Hartford, Conn.

NURSE—Wanted, first-class nurse with experience for two children. 311 Lewis building, city.

SALESLADIES—Wanted, two salesladies for retail shoe store; good wages; steady position. Address O 17, The Gazette.

SOLICITORS—Desiring to earn good money will apply at 231 Wood st., room 202, none but experienced solicitors need apply.

WOMAN—Middle-aged woman for general housework in small family. Address Q 12, The Gazette branch, 6124 Penn ave.

WOMAN—Good, thorough working woman for day work. 206 Sandusky st., Allegheny.

Situations—Male and Female.

BOOKKEEPER or office position by young man, five years' experience, trustworthy and reliable in position of trust, best city reference. Address M 7, The Gazette.

BY PRINTER—3 years' experience at job printing; also worked on daily paper. Address M 17, The Gazette.

DRAUGHTSMAN—Mechanical—6 years' experience; neat, quick worker wants to change. Address H 24, Gazette.

DENTIST, registered in Pennsylvania, desires a position as operator and a mechanical man. Address H D, E 4, Gazette.

POSITION—Nurse or companion for invalid or delicate child; references. Address Y 7, The Gazette.

POSITION by young woman as stenographer; best references. Address N 3, The Gazette.

POSITION as housekeeper by thoroughly competent young woman; references. Address Z 7, The Gazette.

POSITION in laboratory by young man, where he can learn chemistry. Address Q 7, The Gazette.

SEAMSTRESS—First-class, desires position in private family. Address H. C., 405 Fifth st., Wilkinsburg, Pa.

SEVERAL small sets of books to keep by an experienced bookkeeper; will exchange references. Address W 6, The Gazette.

SITUATION—Colored girl; position as domestic; experience; no washing, good references. Crescent Employment Bureau, 6111 Penn ave.

SITUATION wanted by young woman as bookkeeper or general office work. Address L, Colonial Pharmacy, Wilkinsburg.

SITUATION—German girl wants place; good cook, laundress; reference. 207 W. Ohio st., Allegheny.

SITUATION by colored woman doing work by day. 2217 Reed st.

TRAINED NURSE desires position as nurse to invalid child or elderly person. Miss Dora G. Fultz, Leechburg, Pa.

WANTED—Position by German woman; places to wash and clean up; will also wash at home. 311 Third st., Allegheny.

WANTED—Evening work by experienced bookkeeper. O 7, The Gazette.

YOUNG woman desires position as stenographer and general office girl. Address F 2, The Gazette.

WANTED.

Situations—Male and Female.

SITUATION—As superintendent of building or like employment by man of executive ability; sober, reliable and industrious. Address B 10, The Gazette.

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WANTED—A good rooming and boarding house, centrally located. Address A 28, The Gazette.

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TO purchase 8 or 10 large-room residence; must be modern and a corner in Craig or Squirrel Hill district, not exceeding $8,500. No agents. Box L 7, The Gazette.

Houses.

WANTED TO BUY—Eight or 9-room house in Squirrel Hill district for about $5,500 cash. Address T 22, The Gazette.

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WANTED—Furnished house; rent must be very low. Address X 7, The Gazette.

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ELSINORE SQUARE, 208, near Lang—Nice large furnished room; modern conveniences; light housekeeping if desired; reasonable; pleasant location.

ELSINORE SQ., 222, off Craft ave., near Duquesne—Furnished rooms, all modern conveniences.

ELSINORE SQUARE, 224, near Craft—Finely furnished room; rent $6.

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MEYRAN AVE., 254, Oakland—Large, pleasant front room; all conveniences.

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OAKLAND AVE., 219—Two (2) front rooms and board; $50 and $55. All conveniences.

SHADYSIDE, 727 S. Negley ave., near Roup station—Large, desirable second-floor room; private family; modern house; excellent table; reference.

SHADY AVE., 435—Handsome large rooms in modern house, with every convenience; beautiful location; first-class table.

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"THE SWEARINGEN."

Craft ave., below Forbes, rooms en suite or single, with first-class meals; beautiful location, every convenience; 'phone Bell 3973 Schenley; P. & A. 214 Park.

Allegheny.

ELENORA ST., 626—Rooms and board, first alley above Ohio st.

FEDERAL ST., 1307, Allegheny—Second floor front room with board.

WEST NORTH AVE., 410—Room with board, on car line; 10 minutes' walk to Pittsburgh; facing park; all modern conveniences; also double parlors.

Atlantic City.

FURNISHED ROOMS—Modern conveniences, with or without board. Bowman Cottage, 18 South Connecticut ave., Atlantic City.

FOR RENT.—UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

City and Suburban.

HOWARD ST., 42, Bellevue—3 unfurnished rooms to let, $9.

HALE ST., 336, Brushton, near Mulford ave.—Two unfurnished rooms, with alcove, near Hamilton and Frankstown ave. cars; gas, bath and laundry. Rent $10; no children.

MONITOR AVE., 104, AVALON—3 or 4 unfurnished rooms.

REBECCA AVE., 321, Wilkinsburg—Large furnished rooms with or without board; also light housekeeping rooms; corner house on two car lines; near station.

TRENTON AVE., 745, Wilkinsburg—Three or four large unfurnished rooms to couple without children; suitable for housekeeping; modern house; on car line near station.

East End.

HERMITAGE ST., 7316—Five rooms, $21; three rooms, $17; separate gas meters; all conveniences. Address 7707 Kelly st.

SIMEN ST., 6325, off Fifth ave. extension—3 large unfurnished rooms, modern conveniences, near three car lines and Homewood station; no children; reasonable rates.

UNFURNISHED front room, 1st floor; all conveniences; Oakland district; 4 doors from trolley line. Address D 12, The Gazette.

Allegheny.

IRWIN AVE., 1521, Allegheny—Two or four large unfurnished rooms; fine location, including light and heat; modern conveniences; light housekeeping privileges.

KNOLL ST., 528—Rider's flats, finest in Allegheny; first floor, 4 rooms, lavatory, range, furnace, front and back porches, $40; second floor, 4 rooms, bath, range, cedar closet and porches, hot and cold water, rent $30; third floor, 4 rooms, range, water and w. c., rent $20. Owner, K. L. Rider, jeweler, 1832 Beaver ave., Allegheny. Bell 'phone 424-L Brady.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

East End.

NORTH HIGHLAND AVE., 810—Furnished or unfurnished rooms; board if desired.

PENN AVE., 5701—Two well furnished rooms; all modern conveniences; also three large unfurnished rooms; reasonable; convenient to car lines.

WANTED.—ROOMS.

GENTLEMAN wants immediately to rent a suite of two or three well-furnished rooms within few minutes of Smithfield and Fifth ave.; state price. Address A 8, The Gazette.

WANTED—A suite of rooms, or large room with alcove, in vicinity of Walnut and Shady. Address X 24, The Gazette.

FOR RENT.

City and Suburban Residences

FOR RENT.

Harrison ave., Bellevue, 4 rooms, second floor, with use of bath and laundry; water, heat and light furnished; new house, $25 per month.

Sprague ave., 11 rooms, all conveniences; $45 per month.

Sheridan ave., 11 rooms, all conveniences; $35 per month.

Orchard ave., 8 rooms, all conveniences; $27 per month.

BELLEVUE REALTY, SAV. & TRUST CO., Bellevue, Pa.

FOR RENT.

Sheffield st., apt., 5 rooms, bath, all conv. $35.00
Broad st., apt., 6 rooms, bath, all conv. 30.00
Rebecca st., apt., 5 rooms, bath, all conv. 20.00
Fifth ave., apt., 5 rooms, bath, all conv. 30.00
Penn ave., apt., 3 rooms, water, gas, yard 12.00
Boggston ave., house of 6 rooms, bath, gas, water 13.00

REAL ESTATE CORPORATION, 318-29 Park Bldg.

TO LET—OAKLAND.

Fine new house, eight rooms, all modern fixtures; first-class location; low rental to desirable tenant. See

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$28.00—Overhill st.; 5 nice rooms; newly papered; gas, bath, every convenience. $17.00
Overhill st., 4 rooms, water, gas. $15.00
Webster ave.; 2 rooms and storeroom. $15.00
Bouquet st., 5 rooms, water, gas. $7.50
Robinson st., 2 rooms, water, gas, range. $6.00

A. F. Noah, 262 Dinwiddie st.

East End Residences

TO LET.

SMALL EAST END HOUSES.

$27 Reynolds st., 3 rooms, $9.
Singer st., 4 rooms, $13.
34 Forland st., 5 rooms, $20.
Send for list.

COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO., 327-329 Fourth Ave.

TO LET—EAST END PROPERTIES.

We publish a "Key" to same and a street map. They are free.

GET THE KEY FROM LLOYD, 6024 Penn ave.

FOR RENT—Modern dwelling, 4 to 10 rooms each; $20 to $75; send for list.

DAVIES & GREEN, Penn and Shady aves., E. E.

IVY ST., 621, Shadyside, near Ellsworth—Two connecting furnished rooms, with adjoining bath; reasonable; gentlemen.

Allegheny Residences.

TO LET—ALLEGHENY HOUSES.

$19—Nixon st., 8 rooms.
$20—Federal st., near bridge, 4 rooms.
$22—East Lacock st., 6 rooms.
$30—Rebecca st., 8 rooms, bath.

HENRY W. ARMSTRONG, 218 Federal st., Allegheny.

FOR RENT—House of 5 rooms, $12 per month. Inquire 4041 Perrysville ave., Allegheny.

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FOR RENT.

Apartments.

$35.00 THE CHATHAM. $35.00

SHEFFIELD AND BIDWELL STS.

Elegant apartments, five and six rooms, laundry, bath, janitor service, etc.

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Fine new apartments, four and five rooms, laundry, bath, porches, janitor service.

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TO LET—Ideal apartments—Kelly st.; $25 to $30; 5 rooms; steam heat and janitor service free.

Rent an apartment for the winter. See DAVIES & GREEN, Penn and Shady aves., E. E.

FOR RENT—Apartment in the beautiful Iroquois, centrally located in the Oakland district. All night elevator service, porches and every modern convenience. Oakland Savings & Trust Co.

FOR RENT.

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FOR RENT—STOREROOM 541 PENN AVE., ROOM 28x33. BASEMENT AND TOILET ROOMS; TWO LARGE SHOW WINDOWS. REDUCED RENT TO APRIL 1ST. W. B. LOVELESS CO., SIXTH AND PENN.

SHERADEN STORE—TO BE LET.

In the Murphy block, Harwood ave., Sheraden, Pa., fine location for men's furnishing or drygoods store; only $50 a month. See W. F. Heidenrich, Sheraden, Pa., or REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 FOURTH AVE.

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To Be Let—At 238 Fourth ave., large room on ground floor, suitable for banking rooms or broker's offices; also a number of very good offices at moderate rent.

REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 Fourth ave.

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FOR RENT—Five rooms, corner Shady and Penn aves., East End; suitable for living apartments or photographer; will accept low rental till April 1, 1906.

LIBERTY REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 6128 Penn ave., E. E.

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MODERATE-priced small flats in East End. Take any Penn ave. car to 209 Millvale ave.

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FOR RENT—Three-story brick warehouse, No. 214 Third ave., between Wood and Market sts. Immediate possession. Reduced rent until April 1st. Wm. B. Scaife & Sons Co., 221 First ave.

Manufacturing Property.

MANUFACTURING PROPERTY.

Two floors, 48x80, with light and power, new modern building. Inquire 224 Third ave.

FOR SALE.

City and Suburban Residences

WHY PAY RENT?

Parties building some modern houses in West Liberty (the new tunnel section) offer the following great bargains on very easy payments:

$2,800—One house of 6 rooms, hall, open stairs, sliding doors, cabinet mantels, gases, chandeliers, porches, bay window, etc.; lot 30x100; immediate possession. Terms $100 to $300 down, balance as rent.

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$3,500—Red and buff brick house of 6 rooms, finished attic, halls, bath, gases, chandeliers, hot and cold water, inside w. c., sliding doors, cab. mantels, porches, etc.; lot 30x100. Terms, $200 to $500 cash, balance as rent.

The above houses are one square from cars. They are well built houses, good value for your money. Terms the easiest ever offered, and will be sold to people of good character only. Address P. O. Box 780, Pittsburgh, Pa.

COSY HOME OR GOOD INVESTMENT.

To Be Sold—Brick dwelling of 9 rooms on boundary of Wilkinsburg and Edgewood; house is heated with hot water system; gas and electric light, etc.; owner must sell on account of leaving city; offers for $4,600; as house will rent for $35, this means a net 8 per cent investment.

REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 FOURTH AVE.

WE CONTROL THE SALE OF ALL THAT'S GOOD IN THE NEW TUNNEL DISTRICTS. THERE IS MONEY TO BE MADE IF YOU ARE ON THE MARKET TO BUY OR SELL. Consult ARONSON REALTY COMPANY, ARONSON BLDG., 846 FIFTH AVE. MAKE MONEY FOR OTHERS—WILL MAKE MONEY FOR YOU.

MT. WASHINGTON HOUSE.

$3,400—House of five rooms, fin. attic, hall and vestibule, sliding doors, cab. mantels, bath, w. c., washstand, gases, chandeliers, large pantry; lot 25x90. Terms $400 cash; balance as rent.

ALBERT H. OYER, 431 Fourth ave. Bell 'phone 2104 Court.

BARGAIN IN WILKINSBURG.

Thoroughly well-built, modern home in select neighborhood; would cost $7,500 to build; built for himself, but now leaving town, owner would sacrifice rather than rent. Address R 9, The Gazette.

MT. WASHINGTON HOUSE.

$3,100—House of six rooms, finished attic, reception hall, sliding doors, cabinet mantels, bath, w. c., hot and cold water, gases, chandeliers; lot 25x90. Terms $850 cash; balance easy.

ALBERT H. OYER, 431 Fourth ave. Bell 'phone 2104 Court.

FOR SALE—Very desirable property; lot 60x145, on which is three dwelling houses, all rented, paying as an investment; situate Main st., Beaver Falls, Pa.; street paved; must be sold; a bargain for someone. Address BEAVER FALLS REAL ESTATE CO., 1017 Seventh ave., Beaver Falls, Pa.

HOUSE for sale, new 2-story frame; slate roof, 4 rooms, cellar, porch, lot 40x110; Millvale terrace; price $1,400; $400 cash, balance $15 per month. Take Millvale car and get off at Millvale terrace, or see H. F. McGRADY, 309 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—Residence of buff brick, 10 rooms, reception hall, bath, laundry, combination chandeliers, etc.; lot 30x100; corner location; Bellevue; immediate possession.

EDWIN E. KLEIN, 22 North Diamond st., East Allegheny.

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LIBERTY REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 6128 Penn ave., E. E.

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East End Residences

FOR SALE—ONLY $10,000.

Complete center hall house; besides 4 rooms and pantry on first floor, 4 bedrooms, large closets; location first-class; Lancaster ave., East End. See

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Model home, 8 rooms, buff brick, all modern, on fine street in E. E.; built by owner for home; leaving city cause of sale; lot 25x135; nice garden in rear; $5,000; think of it.

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AT A SACRIFICE.

Eight-room house, two 4-room houses, renting for $60.00 per week. Price $3,800.

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FINE FRIENDSHIP PARK HOUSE.

$20,000, terms to suit, for 11-room brick dwelling on lot 67x133 feet, in Pacific ave.; all rooms large; large circular front porch; billiard room, stable on rear of lot facing paved alley.

REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 Fourth Ave.

FOR SALE.

East End Residences

FOR SALE.

Highland Park district, near 4 car lines; new center hall brick home, 4 rooms on a floor, 2 baths, 3 w. c.'s, 4 wash stands, dressing room, hardwood floors and finish, decorated throughout, handsome dining-room with panaled ceiling, steam heat, pantry, laundry, etc. Price $16,000.

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FOR SALE—$11,500 will buy this modern, up-to-date reception room residence of 11 rooms on choice residence avenue 60 feet wide in Nineteenth ward; only short distance from street cars; possession can be had if desired.

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Allegheny Residences.

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On Maple avenue, in the highly desirable Perrysville avenue district, one of the finest localities in the entire two cities in which to live; an attractive new 8-room dwelling, with bath, laundry, etc.; strictly modern; strictly first grade. One block from cars; 16 minutes from the heart of Pittsburgh; surrounded by good homes. Price just $5,000, on reasonable terms, making it one of the best propositions that has come to light this year.

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FOR SALE.

Farm of 65 acres, 1½ miles from Emsworth station, with good dwelling, large bank barn, good orchard, splendid location for truck farming; fronts over 2,000 feet on township road; in good state of cultivation. It has always been held at $10,000—$8,000 will buy if sold at once.

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Send for NEW list of PENNSYLVANIA farms. R. H. NEILL, OAKMONT, PA.

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Lots.

FOR SALE—Ideal site for fine residence, adjacent to magnificent homes, front lot (Sterrett place), overlooking Crafton; 60x132 feet; street cars pass property, which fronts on finely proved thoroughfare. Present price $1,500; will double in value in two years. Address Owner, S 7, The Gazette.

VACANT FRONTAGE CHEAP.

$10 a foot for 75 feet of frontage in Bedford avenue; good opportunity for builder who will improve property with dwellings.

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GOOD VACANT LOT—$2,000.

To Be Sold—Lot 40x80 feet, in 26th ward, South Side, on good street and P., V. & C. railroad.

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I SELL, rent and exchange real estate anywhere and everywhere.

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$3,000 EQUITY for sale in vacant lot, half a block from Fifth ave., Shadyside; best residence neighborhood. Address T 7, The Gazette.

For Sale or Exchange.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

75 lots on Fifth ave., McKeesport. Price $16,875; mortgage $6,000 with release clause. The street is paved. Cars pass every 10 minutes. What have you to offer for equity?

Two clear lots in Duquesne to exchange for good automobile.

Five-room house, 5 minutes' walk from depot; water, gas, inside w. c.; rents $15 per month. Price $1,500; mortgage $800. Exchange equity for vacant.

BUSINESS EXCHANGE, Yester Building, McKeesport, Pa.

$1,700 LOT, improved street, clear; $2,800 house, well rented, clear, and $3,200 equity in 10 per cent income Wilkinsburg brick residence, all near steam and street cars, for a good merchandise business, city or country, or good farm, if well located; give full particulars for reply; agents need not answer. A. W., "Owner," Box 75, Wilkinsburg, Pa.

10 PER CENT NET.

MONESSEN. New business block on best corner. Good reasons for selling. Will exchange for some clear vacant or improved.

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I HAVE improved property that I can exchange for your clear vacant. What have you to offer?

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THREE 5-room frame houses, Swissvale. All improvements; slate roofs, cellar, etc; good renting property. Exchange equity for clear lots. Inquire 801 Bank for Savings building.

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MONEY ON REAL ESTATE. Mortgages wanted on improved real estate in city and suburbs.

REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 311 FOURTH AVE.

BARRELS OF 4½% MONEY TO LOAN. JOHN K. EWING COMPANY, owner of the UNION REALTY COMPANY, 248 Fourth Ave.

MONEY TO LOAN ON MORTGAGES. Bring deed. No delay. Money waiting.

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$500,000 to loan on city and suburban Properties in sums to suit.

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WANTED—To borrow $1,000 on improved real estate worth $8,000. Address C 18, The Gazette.

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MONEY TO LOAN. B. B. Black, 243 Fourth ave., second floor.

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Business Opportunities.

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RESTAURANT—Very fine location in Pittsburgh; rent $30 per month; sales average $35 per day; very finely equipped; will seat 85 people. National cash register, coffee urn, finest of silver and linens; everything necessary in a first-class place; clears $200 per month above all expenses; best of reasons for selling; for quick sale can be bought for $600.00

S. V. THOMPSON COMPANY, 3rd floor, 340 Times bldg., 336 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE.

Business Opportunities.

STEWART & MITCHELL, 306 Wylie ave.

SALOON—Best saloon proposition in Pittsburgh; cheap rent; long lease and steady business; price $15,000; investigate.

POOL ROOM of 6 tables, cash register and all fixtures complete; now doing business of $400 month; will sell cheap to quick buyer.

BOWLING ALLEY—Consisting of four Dayton alleys and two pool tables; will sacrifice.

GROCERY STORE in Wilkinsburg; good, clean stock; will sell cheap.

CONFECTIONERY AND CIGAR STORE, doing good business in Penn ave district; rent $15 per month; price $350.

BARBER SHOP—Two chairs, fixtures all new, Allegheny; price $350.

BUTCHER SHOP—Up-to-date fixtures, situated in mill district; must be sold at once; price $350; this is a bargain.

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FINE GROCERY or meat market business for sale to purchaser of a city paved street corner lot; don't pay good money for rotten stock and "good will." "Where are we to buy our groceries and meat?" is asked daily in this section, in which 65 new houses are being built within three squares; balance of neighborhood already built up; no opposition to up-to-date man; there is just one available lot—$60 per foot—all others built on; city paved street; 10 minutes from P. O.

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SALOON—Located in Akron, Ohio, a city of 50,000 population; this is one of the best and safest openings on the market today; doing a business of $25 a day and catering to a good class of people; expenses are light; all good bar fixtures; good lease; stock of liquors of $1,000; can be bought for $8,000, $3,000 cash and the balance on time.

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The very best location in Pittsburgh; old established and strictly high-class trade; stock and fixtures will invoice about $16,000; owner in ill health and wishes to retire; will sell for cash at a fair discount or exchange for income real estate. The opportunity of a lifetime in this line.

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Stock and fixtures in excellent location, doing the business of $500 per month; six living rooms and store; will sell for $500 or invoice; this is an excellent opportunity for right party; Allegheny location.

W. F. WEITERSHAUSEN, 717 E. Ohio st., Allegheny, Pa.

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S. V. THOMPSON COMPANY, 3rd floor, 340 Times bldg., 336 Fourth ave.

SALOON—Located in the city of Akron, Ohio, right in the business section of the city; doing a business of from $40 to $50 a day; rent very reasonable; long lease; good living rooms. This is one of the best saloons in Akron, and will be sacrificed to a quick buyer for $1,500, $800 cash, balance to suit purchaser.

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STORES, HOTELS, SALOONS, ETC.

Quickly sold for cash through our agency. No charge unless sale is effected. We have some improved city real estate to exchange for stocks of merchandise. If you want to make quick deal and without publicity, see us.

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Best location in Crafton; first-class equipment, rent of shop $22 a month; business of $200 per week; reason for selling on account of sickness; will sacrifice for $500.

W. F. WEITERSHAUSEN, 717 E. Ohio st., Allegheny, Pa.

MAN WANTED—Reliable man with $3,000 in a cap manufacturing company in a city of 400,000 people, to help take care of the increasing business; good proposition to a hustler; references. Address CARLISLE CAP CO., Buffalo, N. Y.

CIGAR STORE—BEST LOCATION IN EAST END; UP-TO-DATE FRONT AND FIXTURES. OWNER LEAVING CITY. PRINCIPALS ONLY. 613 FRANKSTOWN AVE.

LOSS OF HEALTH COMPELS ME TO SELL MY HOTEL—Big trade, splendid patronage at the bar, $10,000 a year profit; near Pittsburgh; low price and easy terms. Address P 23, Gazette.

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Coal, coke, transfer and storage business, including 16 wagons, nine horses, harness and tools and all implements; will sell for $3,500. For further particulars,

W. F. WEITERSHAUSEN, 717 E. Ohio st., Allegheny, Pa.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

Call and see our large list of grocery and confectionery stores before buying.

W. F. WEITERSHAUSEN, 717 E. Ohio st., Allegheny, Pa.

GENERAL STORE—Would invoice about $1,400. In South Fayette township; storeroom can be rented at reasonable price. Address C 13, The Gazette.

BIG MONEY—$10 buys puts or calls upon 10,000 bushels wheat. No further risk. Movement of 5 cents makes you $500. Write for circular. The standard Grain Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

GROCERY STORE—In nearby town, doing business $500 week; rent $25 month, including 6 living rooms; prices $1,400. CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

ROOMING HOUSE, Allegheny, 8 rooms, laundry, well-furnished and filled. Bargain. Address O 69, The Gazette.

MEAT MARKET AND GROCERY CHEAP—Good location; East End; no agents. Address East End P. O. Box 37.

SALOONS—$150, $200, $350 up; Hotels $350. PAYNE, 19 Park Place, New York.

IF you want help in selling or buying a good business or in selling or renting your real estate, farms, land, acreage. See STEWART & MITCHELL, 306 Wylie ave.

IF YOU WANT to buy or sell any kind of business see CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—Drug store; only $1,200 to $1,500 cash required. Address E 23, The Gazette.

Horses and Vehicles.

FOR SALE—Special sale Tuesdays and Saturdays this month; 50 second-hand depot wagons, buggies, traps, runabouts and delivery wagons; almost as good as new; very cheap. 1044 East st., Allegheny. Take Madison ave. and East st. car.

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FOR SALE—50 new delivery wagons; high-grade makes; sacrifice prices; special sale Tuesdays and Saturdays this month. 1044 East st., Allegheny. Take Madison ave. and East st. car.

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GROCERY delivery wagon, good as new; will sell cheap for want of use. Apply A. Brown, butter stand, Allegheny market.

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MEETINGS.

NOTICE is hereby given to the stockholders of The Ohio Fuel Supply Company that on Tuesday, the 26th day of October, 1905, at the office of said company at 12 West Gay street, in the city of Columbus, Ohio, there will be a meeting of the stockholders of The Ohio Fuel Supply Company held at 12 o'clock a. m. on said day to consider the subject of amending the articles of incorporation of said The Ohio Fuel Supply Company so as to enlarge the objects and purposes for which said company is formed and so as to enable said company to buy and sell oil and gas rights, privileges and leases, and to lease oil and gas territory, and so as to add to said articles of incorporation the cities of Cincinnati, Norwood, Portsmouth, Dayton, Springfield, Xenia, London and other cities as the terminii of the improvement intended to be constructed by said company, and by naming all the counties in said state as the counties in and through which said improvement, or its branches, shall pass, and by adding to the objects and purposes for which said corporation is formed, that of transporting natural gas, petroleum or manufactured gas through tubing or pipes, and acting as a common carrier in connection therewith, and of constructing lines of piping and tubing for said purposes. Transfer books will be closed from October 6 until after the meeting.

H. C. REESER, Secretary.

DIVIDENDS.

Office of Bessemer & Lake Erie Railroad Company.

DIVIDEND—Pursuant to authority conferred by the board of directors, the undersigned will pay by check, October 1, 1905, a semi-annual dividend of one and one-half (1½) per cent on the common stock of the Pittsburgh, Bessemer & Lake Erie Railroad Company, to stockholders as of record September 15, 1905.

G. W. KEPLER, Treasurer.

Commonwealth Trust Company of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pa., September 8, 1905.

QUARTERLY DIVIDEND NO. 11—The board of directors of this company has this day declared a quarterly dividend of TWO (2) PER CENTUM on the capital stock, payable October 2, to stockholders of record at the close of business September 20, 1905. Checks will be mailed.

GEORGE D. EDWARDS, Sec. and Treas.

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IS YOUR WATCH

IMPORTATIONS OF GOLD ALLAY MONEY MARKET FEARS

Stocks Turned Strong and Closed Higher All Around.

National Fire Proofing Preferred Active in the Local Market.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The announcement of the engagement of $1,200,000 gold for shipment from London to New York, which was made shortly before noon yesterday, tended to allay fears of a tight money market, and stocks became strong, advancing all along the line and closing near the highest prices of the day. Shorts covered at a lively rate, and the western clique was a heavy buyer. There was a notable increase in the volume of trading, the total transactions footing up 900,000 shares.

The chief argument of the bears has been the prospect of much higher rates for call money, based upon the smallness of the reserves of the New York banks, the needs of expanding trade, and the large shipments of currency to the interior. These conditions almost invariably produce liquidation of speculative accounts in the stock market. Of course there was ample reason for a reaction in the market after the prolonged rise, even if money were to remain easy, but with the monetary situation as it was, there was little likelihood of the public coming into the market at this level. Now the professional element has swung over entirely to the bull side of the market, although it remains to be seen whether the public investor will rush in to buy stocks at prices which were regarded too high even when there was no question of the ease of money.

After the close of the market London cables reported that $2,000,000 gold on the way from South Africa would probably be diverted to New York. Sterling exchange rates declined further after the announcement of the engagement of the $1,200,000 mentioned, and it is probable that there will be additional imports before the movement comes to an end. It was also reported that Secretary Shaw would deposit government receipts from internal revenue and from the postoffice department in the banks in case the call loan rate advanced above 4 per cent. There was no confirmation of this report, but it illustrated again the tendency of news and sentiment to run in one direction in Wall street. The subtreasury at New York transferred $500,000 to San Francisco. While the rate for call loans declined from 3 to 2½ per cent and closed at the lower figure, the rate on time loans was firmer, transactions being reported at 4½ per cent on stock exchange collateral for loans running six months.

There was some hesitation just after the opening, on the report that a London operator short of American stocks had failed, but London quotations showed more advances than declines, and foreigners were again fair purchasers of stocks on balance. Erie resumed its upward movement and on large transactions advanced to 52¼. Union Pacific was another strong feature, advancing to 132¼ and closing at 132, a net gain of 2¼ per cent. Pennsylvania was the strongest of its group, advancing to 143⅞ and closing at 143¾, a net gain of 2 per cent. New York Central closed 1⅝ per cent higher. Missouri Pacific made a strong rally, closing 1⅜ per cent higher. Northern Pacific closed 3½ per cent higher. The remainder of the railroad list closed from ⅛ to 2¾ per cent higher, the latter Illinois Central.

The industrial list was relatively as strong as the railroads. Smelting common advanced to 127⅜ on expectations of an increase in the dividend at the meeting of the directors tomorrow. Amalgamated Copper closed 1⅝ per cent higher. In the late dealings the feature was the activity and strength of the United States Steel issues, which closed at practically the top. The minor iron and steel issues were favorably affected by the declaration of the regular cash dividends on Sloss-Sheffield common and preferred and a scrip dividend of $2,500,000 on the common stock. Tennessee Coal and Iron closed 2¼ per cent higher.

Nearly one-half the trading on the local stock exchange was in National Fire Proofing preferred. The stock sold off from 26¼ to 25¾, but was in better demand on the decline than for a long time past. There were no transactions in the common stock. Manufacturers Light and Heat was also fairly active, selling at 36⅝ to 36½. Philadelphia Company common sold at 46 to 46¼, a slight decline. Ohio Fuel Supply was slightly lower, while Pittsburgh Oil and Gas advanced to 56 bid. American Sewer Pipe closed slightly lower at 33½. United States Steel issues were strong and higher, following the market in the east, but Crucible Steel common and preferred declined fractionally on very light transactions. Westinghouse Electric declined to 83. The dealings in Pittsburgh Coal preferred were confined to 25 shares at 54 to 54½. Second National bank sold at 750, a decline of 5 points from the last previous sale. The stockholders of this bank approved the proposition to convert $1,200,000 of its surplus into capital stock, increasing the latter from $600,000 to $1,800,000, but the action had been discounted by the market. Bonds were unchanged, Monongahela Light and Power 5s selling at 101 and Pittsburgh and Allegheny Telephone 5s at 82.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

16	Mfrs. L. & H.	36½	100	Phila. com.	46
150	do.	36½	10	do.	46½
19	P. Coal pfd.	54½	50	Tonopah Ext.	6.05
20	Ohio Fuel	42½	50	P. Proof pfd.	26¼
10	do.	42½	300	do.	26¼
20	do.	42½			

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

100	F. Proof pfd.	26¼	30	Sewer Pipe	33¾
20	do.	26¼	10	P. Brew. com.	26½
100	do.	26¼	50	Tonopah Ext.	6.06
50	do.	26¼	20	do.	6.10
100	do.	26¼	5	Second N. B.	750
50	do.	26¼			

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

25	F. Proof pfd.	26¼	40	F. Proof pfd.	26
25	do.	26¼	100	do.	26
1	do.	26	10	P. Brew. com.	26¾
2	do.	26	40	do.	26¼
30	do.	26	100	P. Oil & Gas	56
50	do.	26	50	U. S. Stl. com.	35¾
200	do.	26	1	Crucible pfd.	93⅞
110	do.	26	3	do.	94
25	do.	26	25	Sewer Pipe	33¾
20	do.	26	100	Mfrs. L. & H.	36½
25	do.	26	100	do.	26½
5	do.	26	6	Colonial Trust.	375
10	do.	26	5	Second N. B.	750
25	do.	26	$2000	M. L. & P. 5s.	101
15	do.	26			

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

100	U. S. Glass	59	10	F. Proof pfd.	26
30	Ohio Tonopah	33	5	do.	26
100	Sewer Pipe	33½	25	do.	26⅞
10	Ohio Fuel	33½	50	do.	26⅞
10	P. Coal pfd.	54½	400	do.	26¾
5	do.	54	10	do.	26⅞
20	Luster	7	7	Electric 2nds	53¼
100	Marsden	4	50	do.	53
10	F. Proof pfd.	26			

2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

50	Tonopah Ext.	6.05	103	Crucible com.	12
10	Electric 2nds.	83	35	do.	12
20	Sewer Pipe	33½	50	Luster	36⅞
10	Ohio Fuel	42½	$2000	P. & A. Tel. 5s.	82
100	Mfrs. L. & H.	36½	$3000	do.	82
1	Crucible com.	12½			

2:30 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

50	Tonopah Ext.	6.05	5	Ohio Fuel	42
50	do.	6.05	50	U. S. Stl. com.	36⅝
50	do.	6.05	25	do.	36¾
30	Crucible com.	12	10	U. S. Stl. pfd.	104
50	Sewer Pipe	33¾	4	do.	104
20	do.	33½	60	Luster	36½
30	do.	33½			

Summary.

STOCKS.	High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Chge.
169 Crucible Steel	*13½	12	12	— ½
4 Do preferred	64	63½	64	— ½
1983 Fireproof pfd	26¾	25¾	25⅞	— ⅛
130 Luster	37	36½	36½	— ½
100 Marsden	4	4	4	0
466 Mfrs. L. & H.	36½	36¾	36½	0
50 Ohio Tonopah	32	32	32	+.00
85 Ohio Fuel	42½	*42	*42	— ⅝
110 Phila. Co.	46½	46	46¼	— ⅛
60 Pgh. Brew	26½	26¼	26¼	— ⅛
25 Pgh. Coal pfd	54½	*54	*54	—1
100 Pgh. Oil and Gas	56	55	56	0
375 Sewer Pipe	33¾	33½	33½	— ⅛
320 Tonopah Ext	6.10	6.05	6.06	0
100 U. S. Glass	59	59	59	0
125 U. S. Steel	36¾	36⅝	36¾	+⅛
14 Do preferred	104	104	104	+1¼
47 West. Elec. 2nds	*83½	83	83	— ½
BANKS, ETC.				
6 Colonial Trust	375	375	375	—15
10 Second N. B.	750	750	750	—5
BONDS.				
$2000 Mon. L. & P. 5s	101	101	101	0
7000 P. & A. Tel. 5s	82	82	82	0

* Less than ten shares.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Banks—			
Arsenal	50	140	
Diamond National	100		425
Farmers Deposit National	100	1000	
First National	100		600
Fifth Avenue Bank	10	78½	
Guarantee Title and Trust	100	185	190
Iron and Glass Dep. Sav	100		315
Iron City Trust	100	120	
Metropolitan National	100		190
Merchants Sav. and Trust	50	53½	55½
Real Estate Trust	100	235	
Second National	100		735
Safe Deposit and Trust	100	400	
Traders and Mechanics	50	70	
Union Trust	100	2725	
Allegheny Banks—			
Dollar Sav. Fund and Trust	100	250	264
First National	100		154
Miscellaneous—			
Am. Window Glass pfd	100	40	
American Sewer Pipe	100	33½	33⅝
Consolidated Gas pfd	50		35
Consolidated Ice	50	5½	8
Do preferred	50	39	39½
Crucible Steel pfd	100	65¾	
Harbison-Walker Company	100		16
Luster Mining	10	36	37
Mfrs. Light and Heat	50	36½	
Marsden	100	3¾	4½
Monon. River Coal pfd	50	24¾	
National Fire Proofing	50	7	
Do preferred	50	25¾	26
Ohio Fuel Supply	26	42¾	43¾
Pittsburgh Oil and Gas	100	56	57
Philadelphia Company	50	46½	46¾
Pgh. Terminal Warehouse	100	80	100
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	26½	26½
Do preferred	50	47¾	
Pittsburgh Coal pfd	100	53½	54½
Pittsburgh Plate Glass	100	118¾	
Tonopah Extension Mining	1	6.05	
Ohio Tonopah	1	.30	.31
United States Glass	100	59	
United States Steel	100	36⅝	37
Do preferred	100	103¾	
Westinghouse Electric	50	82¾	83
Do 1st preferred	50	90	
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	148	150
Mt. Oliver Inclines	100		50
Independent Brewing	50	14¾	16
Do preferred	50	40¾	
United Copper	100	35¼	36
BONDS.			
Allegheny County Light 5s		106	
Second Avenue Railway 5s		101½	
P., McK. & Conn. 1st 5s		102½	103
Iron City Trust 5s		100	105
Westinghouse Mach. Co. 6s		106½	
Ohio C. & S. Pipe 6s		91	

NOTES AND COMMENT.

That sentiment in the stock market is almost wholly dominated by considerations regarding the future of the money market was demonstrated yesterday by the relief experienced in Wall street when the announcement was made that imports of gold had begun. A dispatch to The Gazette from New York said: "It was the common belief that today's engagement of $1,200,000 was preliminary to an extended inward movement of gold. It was as a symptom of conditions which made this possible that the development was effective rather than from the amount involved. The fear was gaining ground in stock market circles that insuperable obstacles would be opposed to the relinquishment of gold held as banking reserves in the great foreign money centers. The obvious intention of the Russian government to float a large loan, the possibility of additional borrowings by Japan and the announcement of a large number of smaller financial undertakings which had evidently been delayed until the coming of peace, pointed to the possibility that these claims for credits would have priority over others. The course of our own money markets for the last few weeks has made it perfectly evident that without some additional resources the extraordinary demand for funds would exhaust the banking reserves to an extent that would cause great tension in the money market and possible disaster to over-extended speculation. It is now demonstrated that the outward course of our commodities has established a sufficient volume of credits abroad so that the domestic money markets have a resort for relief in case of urgent necessity. The effect upon speculative sentiment was pronounced. The gold seems to have been secured upon its arrival from South Africa in London after rather active competition, and the present supply available for import seems limited. The outgo of currency from New York in other directions also continues very large. The sub-treasury has absorbed already since the last bank statement $5,511,000. Shipments by express are still going to the interior and $500,000 was deposited at the sub-treasury today for telegraphic transfer to San Francisco. Time money rates continue to advance in New York and borrowers on call are paying off their obligations and taking out time loans. Discount rates in London rose again today, but at Berlin there was a slight recession in spite of yesterday's advance in the imperial bank rate.

Ten shares Second National bank stock changed hands at 750, a decline of 5 points from the last previous sale. The stockholders approved the conversion of $1,200,000 surplus into capital stock, and the latter will be increased from $600,000 to $1,800,000. Yesterday's price for the old stock would be equivalent to $250 a share for the new stock, and at that figures there will probably be a better demand than at $750 on the basis of the old capitalization.

There was a better demand for local natural gas stocks yesterday than for some time past, but the only member of the group to advance was Pittsburgh Oil and Gas, which after selling at 55, closed at 56 bid, 57 asked. The October dividend on the latter will probably be at the reduced rate declared in July. The advance in the price of oil no doubt strengthened the stock.

Colonial Trust sold at 375, a decline of 15 points from the last previous sale.

Union Trust was quoted at $2,725. There were no offerings of the stock.

Luster declined to 36½ on small sales. Tonopah Extension advanced to $6.10, but reacted to $6.05 at the close.

Carothers & Co. were the largest sellers of National Fire Proofing preferred, and the market took the stock better than for some days. Sproul & Co. were also liberal sellers. Whitney, Stephenson & Co., Hall, Miller, McMullin and Campbell were buyers.

There were no transactions in any of the Independent Brewing issues and only 50 shares Pittsburgh Brewing common changed hands at 26¾ to 26¼.

In the local market United Copper did not respond to the report of a rich strike in one of the mines of the company, but in Boston the price advanced to 37, closing at 36 bid, 36¾ asked.

North Butte recovered its dividend in the Boston market yesterday, advancing to 29¾ and closing at 29¼ bid. The stock is one of the most active in the Boston market.

The Western Union directors have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¼ per cent.

Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron advanced from 92 to 96¾, closing at 95. The directors declared a scrip dividend of $2,500,000 common stock, payable to the common stockholders of the company October 2 next. The company also declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ on its preferred stock and the usual semi-annual dividend of 2½ on its common stock. The net earnings for the quarter ended August 31 increased $126,000, and the total surplus increased $466,000.

The Morgenthaler Linotype Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¼ per cent, payable September 30.

There were 26 New York banks reporting less than 25 per cent reserve in Saturday's statement, 15 national and 11 state. This compares with 28 banks below the reserve required in the preceding week, 17 in the week ending September 5th, 1903, as in the corresponding week of 1901, 37 in the corresponding week of 1902, 29 in the corresponding week of 1901. The total deficit of these 26 banks was $8,555,375, so that if all of them had 25 per cent reserve the surplus would be increased by that amount to $8,556,725 from $4,450,450.

The Boston banks this week reported a deficit of $77,200 under the required reserve in Boston, but they have a surplus of $2,803,734 in New York.

The Commonwealth Trust Company has declared the usual quarterly dividend of 2 per cent, payable October 2 to stock of record September 30.

Of the world's production of gold in 1904, as estimated by the director of the mint, $247,000,000, the Transvaal output will show an even greater gain. Already there has been produced in the eight months of this year about $68,000,000 of gold in the Transvaal mines. A proportionate yield during the remaining four months of the year will make the total production of 1903 more than $100,000,000. The world's production in 1903 is likely to reach $400,000,000, the largest on record.

In spite of so-called official denials there are the best of reasons for believing that the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton has been sold to Pennsylvania and Vanderbilt interests, and that a considerable portion of the east-bound traffic originating on that line will for the future be sent over the Erie.

If it were not for the dealings in the Japanese issues the New York bond market would be very dull these days. The sales of Japanese bonds yesterday footed up $561,000, or one-fourth of the total for all bonds.

The gross earnings of Wabash for the first week in September decreased $62,497.

Gross earnings of Missouri, Kansas & Texas for the first week in September increased $11,592.

Gross earnings of St. Louis & Southwestern for the first week in September increased $6,209.

Gross earnings of Canadian Pacific for the first week in September increased $56,000.

The highest average price of commodities according to Dun's index number since 1900 was on March 1, 1901, when the index number was 103.075. The lowest price since the later date was 97.125 on July 1, 1904. From those figures there was an advance to 101.329 on March 1, 1903. Since July 1, 1903, the index number was 96.317, there has been an advance to 100.304, on September 1. Breadstuffs are now at about as low a point as at any time since January 1, 1901. Meats are at the level of July, 1904, but are higher than in last January; dairy products have risen since July and other food products are lower than since the early part of 1904. Clothing is higher than at any time for a quarter of a century. Metals and miscellaneous items are slightly above the recent average.

Reports of 17 representative English iron and steel companies and firms for the past fiscal year show profits of £1,064,000, or 7% per cent on the capital, as compared with £1,185,000 last year, or nearly 8 per cent.

First Mortgage Bonds.

Commonwealth Trust Company, No. 327 Fourth avenue, is offering to investors choice first mortgage bonds, yielding 5 to 5½ per cent.

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH

Fire Proofing preferred led the dealings in the stock market.

On sales of nearly 2,000 shares, the price declined a small fraction.

Oil & Gas sold at 55 and advanced to 56 bid.

Crucible Steel declined a fraction. United States Steel strong and higher.

Colonial Trust sold at 375 and Second National Bank at 750.

IN WALL STREET

Beginning of gold imports allays fears of tight money.

Stock market made a strong rally and closed near the best.

Sales included 930,200 shares stock and $2,040,000 bonds.

Sloss-Sheffield Iron declared a scrip dividend on the common stock.

Call loan rates declined to 2½ per cent, but time loans firmer.

THE MONEY MARKET.

The local money market is firm at 4@5 per cent on call and time loans. Clearing house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$7,583,015 26	$1,096,032 37
Last week	7,744,764 25	1,731,048 65
Last year	8,561,774 35	1,336,667 62

Foreign Money Markets.

LONDON, Sept. 12—Money was in increased demand in the market today for stock exchange requirements. The supplies were not diminished. Discounts were firm owing to the renewed foreign demand to the open market for gold. Trading on the stock exchange opened quiet and irregular. Prices advanced fractionally on fair support, through gilt-edged securities were dull. Consols declined a shade from the closing quotations of $15,850,000 of bonds and loans. Canadians were the feature, and were in good demand at the latest quotations. Canada Southern closed American issues firm. Mexicans were the feature, and it was believed they were largely bought for New York account. Union Pacific, Southern Pacific and Colorado Southern were in good demand. Kaffir trade was restricted and occasional advances and prices closed strong. Foreigners were firm. Portuguese were prominent. Rhodesians were buoyant. Japanese 5s (certs) 6s of 1898 were quoted at 103. Canada for money 93 15-16. Canada for account, 90 7-16. Bar silver steady, 23¾d an ounce. Money, 1@1½ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2 11-16@2 13-16 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three-months' bills is 2 11-16@2¾ per cent.

PARIS, Sept. 12—Stocks on the bourse today were firm at the opening, but became irregular, industrials going off and 3% rentes 1 centime. At the close prices were heavy. Russian Imperial 4s were quoted at 94.90, and Russian Bonds of 1901 at 100.80. Three per cent rentes 100 francs. The exchange for the account. Exchange on London, 25 francs 12 centimes for checks.

BERLIN, Sept. 12—The tone on the bourse today was excellent, and prices were higher. Exchange on London, 20 marks, 45 pfennigs for checks. Discount rates: Short bills, 2 per cent; three-months' bills, 2¾ per cent.

Banks and the Treasury.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12—In redemption of checks drawn by depositors of gold at the San Francisco and Seattle assay offices, today's official records show that the sub-treasury paid out yesterday $114,000. This amount it will have deposited at San Francisco and $14,120 at Seattle. Total thus paid since Friday $150,705, against $142,584 for the same period a week ago. Total payments by government to New York banks for the day $2,000,000. Payment by banks on government $4,500,000. Balance on the day's transactions $1,543,000. Payments by banks to the government, Total net payment by banks to government since Friday $3,322,000, against $1,250,000 similarly paid for the corresponding period a week ago, and $2,987,000 paid by banks to government a year ago. Included in the foregoing summary is $100,000, deposited by banks with the sub-treasury for payment at interior points. Total thus deposited since Friday $200,000.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12—Money on call, steady, 2¾@3 per cent; closing bid, 2¾ per cent; offered, 3% per cent. Time loans firmer; 60 days, 3½@4 per cent; 90 days, 3¾@4 per cent; six months, 4@4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange firmer and weak, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 85.60@4 85.70 for demand, and at $4 82.60@4 82.80 for 60-day bills. Posted rates, $4 85@4 84 and $4 86@4 87. Commercial bills, $4 82¾. Bar silver, 53c. Mexican dollars, 42c. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds firm.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve, shows: Available cash balance, $179,342,923; gold coin and bullion, $97,986,320; gold certificates, $81,170,210; silver coin and bullion, $15,-197,113; silver certificates, $7,139,819; United States notes, $12,754,330; treasury notes of 1890, $1,620; national bank notes, $20,677,313. Total receipts this month, $15,178,781; total receipts this year, $214,464,250; total expenditures this month, $18,260,907; total expenditures this year, $221,993,280.

Philadelphia Stocks.

(Reported by Childs & Childs.)

	High.	Low.
American Railways	14	14½
Cambria Steel	47½	47½
Cambria Iron	37½	37½
Consolidated Lake Superior	12½	12½
Electric Storage	47½	47½
Electric Co. of America	11	11
Lehigh Valley	77½	77½
Marsden	4	4
Pennsylvania Steel	73¾	73¾
Do preferred	92	92
Philadelphia Company	46	46½
Do preferred	47	47½
Philadelphia Traction	95	95½
Philadelphia Rapid Transit	24¾	25
Philadelphia Electric Co.	5¾	5¾
Union Traction	37	37
United Gas Improvement	80½	80¾
Weisbach	22	22

SHARP RECOVERY IS CONTINUED IN MARKET

Chief Influence Is An Initial Importation of $1,200,000 in Gold.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 12—The Herald this (Wednesday) morning says: If the unfavorable money currency promised until the influence of the initial importation of $1,200,000 in gold. At this writing $500,000 more transferred by bankers throughout the world, the treasury to-day transferred $1,000,000 to the banks, and the banks repaid a loan to the government of $2,000,000, making a total of $3,500,000 since Friday.

As the bulwark against the gold imports does so, Europe up for the week's check in currency by $4,000,000, they that one-fourth to $5,000,000 more is a favorable indication of professional sentiment. The peace and Japan war up were appreciative appreciably and influenced the short covering. Much evidence followed the gold import announcement, but that is over the same on an initial operation, be in export or import. Prices appeared to be on public participation in to-day's market.

Fractional gains of from 1 to 3 points on the day's trading over the general afternoon was the rule in the arrangement, and 1000 shares or more in which the weakness of the professional element in the decline up 10 points and the shorts in covering, the only interest in the day's transactions. The weekly bulletin of the weather bureau on crops was generally favorable, and corn reports bearing upon superior prospects were also excellent. The weather map's best, however, no definite influence on maple commodities and none on security prices.

Some discussion followed the bulletin published as to the progress of the U. S. Steel combination, but the announcements may have anticipated some influence professionals, who were in control of the stock market.

MEET BY TORCHLIGHT.

Indignant Citizens of North Versailles Township Going After the School Controllers.

Bearing lighted torches, 50 indignant residents of North Versailles township met in the semi-darkness of Bowman's pond Tuesday night. The gathering, carrying the noted weiner instructions, refused to be allotted them to the school house.

The meeting was held to protest against the proposed purchase by the school controllers of a site for a new school building. In another section of the township when it possesses property upon which a school formerly stood.

James Topley was elected president of a permanent organization and, with W. H. Lange and H. Miller, was instructed to secure an injunction restraining the controllers from making the proposed purchase. The committee was in Pittsburgh yesterday and will report the results of its efforts at a meeting to be held tonight.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Atchison	67½	American Sugar	129¾
Do preferred	93¾	Do preferred	127
*Boston & Albany	249	Am. Tel. & Tel.	132¾
Boston & Maine	175½	Amalgamated Copper	63¾
Boston Elevated	152	Anaconda Mining	50
Fitchburg pfd	148	Dom. Iron & Steel	29½
Mexican Central	20¾	Mass. Gas	90
N. Y. N. H. & H.	200	United Fruit	109
Pere Marquette	77½	United Shoe Mach.	39¾
Union Pacific	132¾	Do preferred	41½
Am. Agric. Chem.	34	U. S. Rubber	48¾
Do preferred	94½	Do preferred	104
Am. Sugar Refg.	129		

*Ex-div. ‡Rights.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Heuer Comer & Co.)

Amer. Tin Can	13¾	Ohio Electric	20
Do preferred	70	Do preferred	97
Electric Vehicle	37	Railroad Air Line	3¾
Do preferred	78	Do preferred	10
Consol. Coal Co.	1¾	Standard Oil	620
International	12	Do preferred	97
Int. Mer. Mar.	5¾	Tennessee Coal	67
Do preferred	20	Tidewater	3¾
International Salt	28	United Copper	36¾
Do 1st	87	Greene Con.	6¾
North. Securities	163¾	Utah Copper	37¾

Government Bonds.

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	104¾	U. S. new 4s, reg.	137½
U. S. ref. 2s, c.	104¾	Do coupon	137½
U. S. 3s, reg.	107½	U. S. old 4s, reg.	112
Do coupon	108	Do coupon	112

For Work.

Read Gazette want ads. Another way is to use Gazette want ads.

COMPLETE RECORD OF THE NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade:

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales	STOCKS.	Open	High.	Low.	Closing Bids
13500	A., T. & S. F.	89⅝	90½	89	90¼
100	Do preferred	104¾	104¾	104½	104¾
2000	Am. Sugar Ref.	128	129	128	129
4800	Am. Locomotive	48½	50¼	48¾	49⅝
300	Do preferred	113	113¾	113	113
2000	Am. Car Foundry	35½	36⅛	35¾	36¼
	*Do preferred				99
87500	Amal. Copper	81¾	82⅝	81	82¾
400	Anaconda Copper	112¾	113	112½	112¾
23400	A. Smelt. & Ref.	126⅝	127⅞	126⅝	127⅜
600	Do preferred	121⅞	122⅝	121⅞	122⅝
	American Woolen	34	35⅝	34	35⅜
	Do preferred	102½	103½	103½	103½
9600	Baltimore & Ohio	110⅞	112	110¾	111¾
100	Do preferred	97½	97½	97½	97½
10700	Brooklyn R. T.	68⅞	67¾	66¾	67¼
17900	Canadian Pacific	165¾	166⅞	165¼	166⅜
	Central Leather	40½	41⅜	40½	41⅛
	Do preferred	104½	104½	104¼	104¼
2000	Chicago Gt. West.	21	21¼	20¾	21¼
800	Consolidated Gas	181	184	181	184
400	C. C. C. & St. L.	89½	90	89½	90
4600	Chesa. & Ohio	54	55	54	55
100	Chicago & Alton	35¼	35⅞	35¼	35⅝
1000	Chicago & N'w.	212½	214½	212½	214½
6300	Col. Fuel & Iron	42	43½	42	43⅝
100	Corn Product	10	10	10	10
	Do preferred				46
700	Col. Southern	28	28⅝	28	28⅛
200	Do 1st preferred	61	61¼	61	61¼
1900	Do 2d preferred	41	42⅜	41	42⅜
	D., L. & W.				450
600	Del. & Hudson	219	219	218	219
104400	Erie	50¾	52¼	50¾	51⅞
1000	Do 1st preferred	82⅞	83	82¾	83
3250	Do 2d preferred	75	75⅝	75	75⅝
100	General Electric	180	180	180	180
400	Hocking Valley	92	92½	92	92½
3200	Illinois Central	177	179¼	177	178⅝
250	Iowa Central	27½	27⅝	27½	27¾
100	Do preferred	66½	56½	56½	56½
800	Internat. Paper	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾
700	Do preferred	80	80½	80	80
6900	Louis. & Nash.	146¼	148¾	146¼	148¼
100	Manhattan	165	165	165	165
28500	Missouri Pacific	103½	105½	103¾	105¼
3300	M., K. & T.	34½	34⅝	34½	34⅝
6000	Do preferred	71⅝	71¾	71¾	71¾
15100	Metropolitan	127	127½	126¾	127⅜
2700	Do securities	80¾	81⅛	80½	81
4400	Mexican Central	23⅜	24	23½	23¾
1700	National Lead	45¾	46⅛	46	46
	National Biscuit	55	56	55	56
	Do preferred	112¾	113¾	112¾	112¾
	N. Y. Airbrake	152⅝	152⅝	152¾	152¾
11400	N. Y. Central	146¾	148¾	146¾	148¼
	N. J. Central	210	211¾	209	211
5600	N. Y., O. & W.	54	55¼	54	54⅝
5300	N. & W.	84¾	85	84¼	85
700	North Am. Co.	97½	98¼	97½	98¼
	Northern Pacific	209	211¾	209	211
400	Peoples Gas	103	103¾	103	103½
800	Pacific Mail	45	45¾	45	45
100	Pullman	247¾	247¾	247¾	247¾
100	Pressed Steel Car	43¼	43¼	43½	43¼
	Do preferred	95¾	95¾	95½	95½
83900	Penna. R. R.	143⅞	143⅞	141½	143¾
300	P., C., C. & St. L.	81	81	81	81
	Railway Springs	35¾	36	35¼	35½
81000	Reading	118	119½	117¾	119¼
300	Do 1st pfd	94½	95½	94	95¼
200	Do 2d pfd	91	91	91	91¼
8100	Rock Island	32	32¾	31¾	32¾
100	Do preferred	79	79½	79	79½
2400	Republic Iron	20¾	21	20½	21
4000	Do preferred	85	90	85	89½
24900	Southern Pacific	66¼	67⅝	66¼	67⅜
7800	Southern Ry.	35¼	35½	35¼	35⅜
200	Do preferred	101	101	101	101
29700	St. Paul	176¾	178¾	176¾	178⅝
2400	St. Louis & S. W.	24¼	25	24⅝	25
1000	Do preferred	61	62¾	61	62
8800	Tenn. Coal & Iron	85	86⅞	84⅝	86¾
4400	Texas & Pacific	36⅜	37¼	36½	37
	T., St. L. & W.				38¾
	Do preferred				69¾
211900	U. S. Steel	36⅝	37	35¾	36⅞
84000	Do preferred	103	104⅝	103	104½
	Do 2ds 50 bds.	97½	97¾	97½	97⅝
234600	Union Pacific	129¾	132¼	129¾	132
1100	U. S. Rubber	48¼	49⅜	48¾	48⅝

THREE MORE FLATS FOR FOURTEENTH

George H. Shickler Will Build Them in McKee Place at Cost of $90,000.

GOOD PENN AVENUE BUY

George E. Shickler has awarded the contract to Francis E. McGillick for three large apartment buildings to be erected on the east side of McKee place, Fourteenth ward, at a cost of $90,000, or $30,000 each. The site, 150x180 feet, was recently purchased by Mr. Shickler from the McKee estate for about $20,000. His determination to select a site in this locality for his next building operations may be traced directly to the action of the McKee estate a few weeks ago in gaining all the other property owners along McKee place below Louisa street to sign a release from the old building restriction clause in their deeds, which prohibited the erection of any flats along the street. The buildings which Mr. Shickler has arranged for are to be three-story, pressed-brick structures setting back 40 feet from the street. This will afford abundant room for a lawn in front and good-sized yard for amusements in the rear. Each building will contain four flats on a floor, making 36 in the three structures. The flats will contain five rooms and a tile bathroom, and will be provided with speaking tubes, steam heat and electric lights. Work on them will be started at once, so that they may be completed by next April. Two weeks ago two other apartment houses, similar in arrangement and cost, were announced for the southeast and southwest corners of McKee place and Louisa street, and work on them will also be started in a few days. Such flats in this locality are in excellent demand, as the sites are only two squares from the Forbes street car line, and the flats should rent for from $20 to $35 a month.

Penn Avenue Sale of $37,000.

The purchase by John Cooper of 1618-1620 Penn avenue, which leaked out yesterday, shows that interest in outer Penn avenue realty is keeping up remarkably well. The property, belonged to the estate of A. Guttman and brought $37,000. It is one of the best in that neighborhood, as the lot, 48x100 feet, is improved with a new four-story brick building now occupied as a clothing store. The lot is on the south side of the avenue, near the old St. James' Episcopal church, now used for nonsinging, fine exercises, flag exercises, back alley. The sale figures at the rate of $771 a front foot, or $7 71 a square foot, and the rental is $2,200 a year. Mr. Cooper takes the property for an investment, and has already been offered $40,000 for it, a figure which is justified in view of the prices recently paid for lots a little "farther in" whose improvements are very inferior.

It develops that Andrew J. Wohley tendered several Squirrel Hill properties in part payment for Shakespeare property which he got recently. To Ada E. Larkin he has conveyed 10 lots on the west side of Beechwood boulevard, near Phillips avenue, for $19,500. These have a total frontage of 278 feet. He also conveyed to Henrietta Reed for $12,150 two plots, 125x100 feet on the northwest side of Waldron street and 135x75 feet in the same street, near the boulevard. To Emma J. Bernitx he conveyed 30x101 feet at Phillips avenue and the boulevard and 25x135 feet in Waldron street for $3,050. The buyers, it is said, will improve the lots at once with good houses.

A $50,000 Flat in the Twentieth.

Architect Moritz Kretzschmar is receiving sub-bids for a $50,000 apartment house which Mrs. Jennie M. Kretzschmar will build on 80x95 feet on the south side of Maryland avenue, Twentieth ward. The building will be handsomely trimmed with terra cotta and will be the first structure of that class in the neighborhood. On the three floors there will be nine seven-room flats, all with baths, which are expected to rent for about $65 a month each. They will be completed by March 1.

A report is current that a stock company is being organized to erect a large building in Frankstown avenue a short distance east of Station street. The building, it is reported, will be for cold storage purposes chiefly, and the name of Owen McCann is connected with the project.

Thomas A. Coleman, who has just finished and sold four houses in Homer street, will build five more houses on the north side of that street a short distance below Negley avenue. The houses will be reception-hall brick dwellings of eight rooms and cost about $5,000 each. This project will complete the improving of Homer street on both sides, except two vacant lots at the corner of Haights avenue.

Architects Thomas W. Boyd & Co. have plans for a three-story brick hotel for O. Smith at Sheraden to cost $25,000.

Plans are being prepared by Architect M. Jacobs for a $20,000 brick residence for John O'Neil at Forbes and Wightman streets.

The Trinity Lutheran congregation of McKeesport will shortly consider sketches for a brick and stone church on its site at Seles and Stewart streets to cost about $30,000.

Gain of $40,000 in Two Years.

The sale of the former Smith-Wehner holdings, 60x80 feet, at the southwest corner of First avenue and Cherry alley, for $100,000 as a site for an eight-story warehouse, to be built by the Walther-Robertson Drug Company, recalls the rapidity with which prices are advancing in the lower avenues. On July 1, 1903, Harry Davis bought the property from the heirs of A. Mason for $60,000. He resold it the same year to H. H. Smith for $75,000, and now it has been resold again for $100,000, showing a profit of $40,000 in a little over two years. The last sale, however, cannot be figured wholly on a cash basis, owing to the fact that Mr. Walther's residence in Ternon avenue, Allegheny, went into the deal at $35,000.

The trustees of St. Joseph's hospital have finally secured title to the old Bailey homestead on Mt. Washington for $35,000, the Bailey heirs making a contribution of $2,500 towards the purchase. Alois Winters, formerly a South Side brewer, advanced $20,000 of the amount, and the rest was contributed by the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company. The house, which contains 15 rooms and stands in the midst of six acres of land, will be used as the main hospital, and the present building at 2117 Carson street will be for emergency cases.

The announcement, published more than two months ago, that A. W. Mellon was the buyer of the Singer and Mashey properties in Point Breeze, has been fully confirmed by the closing of the deal. The properties cost Mr. Mellon $175,000 and $100,000 respectively, and they were secured as the site for a residence, to be in keeping with the surroundings.

Unique Lot Advertising.

The Brighton Heights Land Company, which has announced for its "sales week" the period beginning next Monday, is putting out some of the most unique advertising that has appeared this year under the direction of its manager, George T. McDonald. For two years agents have been busy distributing through Allegheny, Bellevue and Avalon an artistic circular, handsomely illustrated, calling attention to the "Heights" feature of the plan, which is close to the observatory in Riverview park.

Reed street: George C. Norris & Co. sold for Louis and Emily Fievet and others to Julius Stein a brick house on 27.5x163 feet, at 21 Reed street, for $4,000.

Allegheny—The Household Real Estate Company sold for Thomas G. Orr to Stephen G. Rovianek 30x149 feet at Perrysville avenue and Portman street for $2,000.

Mahon avenue: The Aronson Realty Company reports the sale of 35 Mahon avenue for Mrs. Mary Walsh to Daniel Rubenstein for $6,100. The lot is 24x100 feet and has on it two houses. The same company sold to Michael Pottatsh a five-room brick house in the R. Pittock plan in Stowe township for $1,600.

Belmar place: Charles L. Bennett sold to Mrs. Mary E. Dean an improved lot, 37.6x38 feet, on the north side of Idlewild street, Twenty-first ward, for $7,800.

Berg avenue: John B. Schultz sold to Peter Heigl an improved lot, 20x149 feet, in Berg avenue, Twenty-seventh ward, for $2,200.

Cato street: William F. Graff sold to Mrs. Minnie Durston an improved lot, 20x104 feet, in Cato street, Fourteenth ward, for $4,800.

Building Permits Issued.

Building permits were issued in Pittsburgh yesterday to Mrs. Gertrude Jones for a two-story brick dwelling in Tecumseh street, Twenty-third ward, to cost $3,000; to Mrs. Louisa Mezzolillo, three-story brick store, dwelling and lodge room in Larimer avenue, Twenty-first ward, to cost $7,000; to Hugh B. Scott, two-story brick veneered dwelling in Elgin street, Nineteenth ward, to cost $5,000; to Roberta Stinson, two-story brick veneered dwelling in Bailey avenue, Thirtieth ward, to cost $9,000; to Patrick Woods, two two-story frame dwellings in Alhambra street, Nineteenth ward, to cost $1,800; to E. E. Cruzon, two-story frame store and dwelling in Hermitage street, Twenty-first ward, to cost $2,200; to Jacob Bitzer, two-story frame dwelling in Brookline street, Nineteenth ward, to cost $2,200; to Marshall Thun, two-story brick veneered dwelling in Park street, Twenty-first ward, to cost $2,600; to Reinhard Gress, two-story brick veneered dwelling in Griffin street, Thirty-second ward, to cost $2,900; to E. C. Rowley, two-story brick veneered dwelling in Susquehanna street, Twenty-first ward, to cost $1,800; to J. Nearlinger, two-story frame dwelling in Chaucer street, Twenty-first ward, to cost $2,900.

Transfers Recorded.

A E Lornady to Otis B Lane, July 17, Greentree, 24 lots, Hethlow plan..... $7,600
East Pgh Con Co to S. McKain, Aug 23, Turtle creek, 24x100, Braddock ave..... 3,000
Safe Dep and Trust Co to M B Hargrave, July 27, 19th wd, Pgh, 68x145, N Negley ave..... 7,500
H H George to H L Chapman, Sept 4, Aspinwall, 35x100, 4th ave..... 1,000
J S Stoup to R J Hunter, Nov 9, '04, Brackenridge, 40x180, Water st..... 1,800
C W Braznell to A Hollander, July 29, Braddock, 35x80, 8th st..... 3,200
R E Edsall to Eliza J Poole, Aug 30, 21st wd, Pgh, 115x140, Hermitage st..... 5,000
Eliza J Poole to Margaret S Edsall, Aug 30, 21st wd, Pgh, 100x125, Kelly st, ½ interest..... 5,000
Wm J Langbein to Cath J Young, Aug 24, 11th wd, Ally, 20x100, Sipe st..... 1,800
Cath G Bailey to Leopold Vilanck, Sept 8, 24 wd, Pgh, 55x80, 2d ave..... $9,000
J J Brown to C McCauily, Aug 21, 21st wd, Pgh, 20x92, Kedron ave..... 2,600
Knoxville Land Imp't Co to E L McGenegal, May 10, Knoxville, 25x115 Summit st..... 3,500
D H Stitely to J A Johnston, June 24, 21st wd, Pgh, 50x150, Oakwood st..... 10,000
J S Brown to S E Vaughan, Sept —, 8th wd, McKeesport, 37x120, Fawsett ave..... 1,000
L Forster to Jno Fraser, Aug 15, 35th wd, Pgh, 50 ft, Seward st..... 800
E E McClelland to Geo D Barrow, Aug 5, Wilkinsburg, 30x100, Tuscarora st..... 5,000
John Arelt to W J Keller, Aug 15, Mt Oliver, 50x188, Arlington ave..... 2,300
M C Marshall to B B Evans, Sept 5, 13th wd, Pgh, 24x100, Junilla st..... 950
S Bloomberg to F M Vincent, July 10, 13th wd, Pgh, 24x96, Wylie ave..... 6,000
Edward Hoopes to S McLaughlin, Sept 7, 14th wd, Pgh, 20x80, Kennett square.. 4,500
S W Swanin to Union Sewer Pipe Co, Aug 24, Lincoln twp, 8 acres..... 21,000
H McK Sill to J M Loose, June 28, Union twp, 30x100, 5th ave..... 5,000
Same to same, July 25, Union twp, 30x100, 5th ave..... 5,000
C S Newton to F J Kost, June 24, Braddock, 24x100, 1st st..... 1,000
T S McMills to A Pitcairn, Sept 8, Oakmont, 200x324, 5th ave..... 12,000
J Whitehouse to P G Croco, Aug 31, 14th wd, Pgh, 25x100, Wakefield st..... 2,500
P G Crocco to J W Whitehouse Aug 31, 22d wd, Pgh, 22x115, Lloyd st..... 4,000
J A Johnston to Alice K Stitely, June 30, 21st wd, Pgh, 50x150, Oakwood st..... 10,000
Kath Coyle to Ollie Wilhelm, Aug 28, 22d wd, Pgh, 40x92, Woodmont st..... 9,000
P K Soffel to Frank Sutton, Mar 2, '04, 32d wd, Pgh, 25x150, Grace st..... 5,000
F B Maloy to Wm S McKee, Aug 30, 30th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Carson st..... 12,000
H S Flaher to W B Hewitt, July 28, Union twp, 60x150, 3d ave..... 900
E McG McClintock to Edward Dunn, Aug 11, 21st wd, Pgh, 50x238, Chauser st.. 1,500
B Seidler to J O Miller, Sept 12, Munnhall, 60x148, McClure st..... 2,200
Homestead & Howard L. Co to Geo Timeo, Sept 8, Mifflin twp, 40x110, 14th ave..... 1,555
S Colston to C Enright, Aug 4, 19th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Coft st..... 2,300
M Enright to J M Kane, Aug 4, 19th wd, Pgh, 40x16, Kincaid st..... 950
W E Watson to E Zachrias, July 8, 25th wd, Pgh, 80x48, South 23d st..... 2,100

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 10 points in sympathy with easier cables. Brazilian receipts were moderate, but there was little demand and prices gradually eased off under scattering liquidation. The close was steady in tone, but at a net decline of 5@15 points. Sales were reported of only 21,750 bags, including October at 7.05c; December at 7.20@7.25c; March at 7.35@7.50c; May at 7.45@7.50c, and July at 7.50c. Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice, 8 11-16c; mild firm; Cordova, 10@15c. Sugar—Raw nominal; fair refining, 3¼c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3¾c; molasses sugar, 3c; refined dull.

Turpentine and Rosin.

SAVANNAH, GA., Sept. 12.—Turpentine steady at 62¼c. Rosin firm; A B C, $3 45; D, $3 75; E, $4 10; F, $4 20; G, $4 30; H, $4 35; I, $4 35; K, $4 40; M, $4 50; N, $4 55; W G, $5 05; W W, $5 45.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Sept. 12.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 12.—Spirits turpentine firm at 62c. Rosin firm at 75 20. Tar firm at $1 50. Crude turpentine firm at $2 75, $4 25 and $4 35.

FINANCIAL AND TRADE NOTES.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—National bank notes received today for redemption, $864,411; government receipts from internal revenue, $327,752; customs, $829,422; miscellaneous, $53,839; expenditures, $1,030,000.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—(Special.)—The directors of the United States Steel and Iron Company today, in addition to declaring the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on the preferred stock and the usual semi-annual dividend of 2½ per cent on the sommon stock, also declared a scrip dividend of $2,500,000 on the common stock, in the form of additional stock to the amount named, to be distributed pro rata among the common stockholders of record October 1st.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Prices of foundry iron are being advanced all along the line. While many furnaces have taken no action in respect to a change in prices, they are expected to place their products on a higher level within the next week or two. Several southern furnaces have advanced 50 cents a ton within the last day or two, which is in line with the advance in northern foundry from.

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—(Special.)—John W. Gates says: "It is the fear of high money rates that induces selling of stocks. I do not expect any great stringency. I should say 5 per cent would be about the maximum rate for call loans. I am as optimistic as ever for the long pull, and I think a change is due in the trend of securities prices."

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts.

Receipts yesterday were: Pennsylvania lines, 1 car oats, 2 cars hay, 1 cars rye; Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 1 car oats, 2 cars corn, 11 cars hay, Lake Erie railroad, 12 cars hay, 2 cars oats, 3 cars rye.

The hay and grain market shows little change. Oats are in better demand and prices have risen. Corn is a little weaker than quotations and price is accordingly marked down. Good No. 1 timothy hay is in great demand, with feed weak and draggy.

No. 1 timothy	$12.50@12.75
No. 2	$11.00@11.50
No. 1 clover	$10.00@10.50
No. 2 clover	$9.25@9.75
No. 1 mixed	$10.00@10.50
No. 2 mixed	$9.25@9.75
Straw, oat	$6.75@7.25
No wheat	$6.75@7.25
Do rye	$9.00@9.50

New No. 2 white oats	39@39½c
New No. 3 white oats	38@38½c

No. 4 cars	37@37½c
White middlings, L. ton	$19.75@20.00
No. 2 middlings	$18.00@18.50
Do brown	$16.50@17.00
Bran, ton	$15.00@16.50
Wheat, No. 2 red, new, at mill	75@80c
Corn, No. 2 yellow shelled	60¼@61c
High mixed	59¼@60c
Yellow car	58½@59c
Mixed car	64@65c

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie	$1.00
do pie, gal	$2.50@3.00
do California, L. C	$1.90@2.50
do California, Y. F	$1.90@2.50
Corn, fancy	$1.10@1.20
do stand.	80@90c
Cherries, California, white	$2.20@2.50
Lima beans	$1.25@1.45
do soaked	75@80c
String beans, 2-lb	85@70c
do 3-lb	90@95c
Stringless beans	$1.10@1.20
Peas, marrowfat	80@85c
do early June	75@85c
do soaked	55@65c
Plums, California	$1.40@1.65
Apples, N. Y., gal. cans	$2.50@2.75
Pineapples	$1.25@2.50

Raspberries	$2.00@
Gooseberries	$2@2.00
Tomatoes, fancy	$1.10@1.20
do standard	85@90c
do gal.	$2.85
Succotash, 1-lb cans	$1.10@1.15
Baked beans, cans, tomato sauce	75@85c
Salmon, doz	$1.00@1.20
do red, 1-lb flats	85c@$1.00
do pink, 1-lb talls	$1.01@1.40
Chipped beef	$2.25@2.75
Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans	$2.50@2.40
do 1-lb cans	$1.25@1.30
Mackerel, broiled	$1.50@1.50
Sardines, domestic, ½s	$3.10@3.75
do mustards	$2.00
do French	$6.50@18.50

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, for seed, No. 1 lb, small	$7.75@8.00
do mammoth	$7.85@8.10
do crimson	$5.50@5.80
do white, Dutch	$9.75@11.50
Alsike	$8.00@8.75
Alfalfa	$8.00@8.25

Timothy, fancy	$1.60@1.65
do extra	$1.50@1.55
do No. 1	$1.40@1.45
Flaxseed	$1.10
Millet, Western	$1.35@1.55
Southern	$1.35@2.00
Grass, Hungarian	30@31.00
do lawn, 1b	16@18c
do blue, 15-lb bu	$1.25@1.50
do red top, 14-lb bu	$1.10@1.60

DRIED FRUITS.

Raisins, 1-lb pkg	6@8½c
Evap. peaches, 25-lb box	10@12c
Evap. apples, 1-lb pkgs	7¾@8¼c
Evap. apricots, 25-lb box, choice	10½@12c
do fancy	12@15c
Evap. currants, 1-lb pkgs	7½@8c
Prunes, Cal., lb	4@7c

GROCERIES.

Flour.

Fancy spr. patent, quarter in reserve	$4.65@5.25
Kansas pat	$4.50@4.90
Fancy winter patent	$4.50@4.60
Rye	$4.10@4.25
Graham, 10-lb bags	$2.20@2.50
Cornmeal, bbls	$2.00@2.10
Rolled oats, bbl	$5.00
do keys	$2.65
Roasted Coffee.	
Rio	13½@15c
Santos	20@24c
Maracaibo	13½@15c
Peaberry	18@18½c
Golden Rio	15c
Ceracas	20@20½c
Standard, plgs	14.00c
High grades	18@18½c
Mohawk & fancy, refined	26@30c
do choice	21@24c
do open ket	17@20c
do 2-lb	9@c
do 5-lb	$1.55@1.65

Yancy syrup	$2.00
Maple sugar, gal	$1.00
Sugar, cured hams	12½@13c
do breakfast bacon	13@13½c
Lard, kettle	8½@9c
do pure	7½@8c
Compound	6@6½c
Pigs' feet, bbls	$5.00
do ½ bbls	$2.75
do ¼ bbls	$1.50
Smoked meats.	
Hams, 10 lbs and up	13c
Over 16 to 18 lbs	13½c
Over 18 to 20 lbs	13½c
20 lbs and over	13½c
Boneless boiled	15c
California	10c
Shoulders, N. Y. cut	9½c
do skinned	9c
Bacon, 8 to 10 lbs	12½c
do 10 to 12 lbs	12½c
do 12 to 14 lbs	12½c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs	12½c
do 10 to 12 lbs	12½c

Dried beef, ham	14c
do flat	12½c
Pickled pigs' feet, 100 lbs	$5.00
do 50 lbs	$2.75
do 25 lbs	$1.50
do 10 lbs	65c
Pickled hams	12½c
do bellies	12½c
Pickled shoulders	10c
Pickled tongues	$6.00
Lard, pure, tierces	8½c

do tubs	8½c
do 50-lb cans	8½c
do 20-lb pails	8½c
do 10-lb pails	8½c
do 5-lb pails	8½c
Compound, tierces	6½c
do tubs	6½c
do 50-lb cans	6½c
do 20-lb pails	6½c
do 10-lb pails	6½c
do 5-lb pails	6½c

Oleomargarine, Elgin	18c
do Ohio	16c
do Chicago	15c
do Imitation	13c
Process	14c
Canvassed	15c
Dried beef	18c
Barrel pork, mess	$16.50
do clear	$17.00
do family	$15.00
do short cut	$17.00
Dried beef, ham	14c
do flat	12½c
Pickled pigs' feet, 100 lbs	$5.00
do 50 lbs	$2.75
do 25 lbs	$1.50
do 10 lbs	65c
Pickled hams	12½c
do bellies	12½c
Pickled shoulders	10c
Pickled tongues	$6.00
Lard, pure, tierces	8½c

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do 20-lb pails	8½c
do 10-lb pails	8½c
do 5-lb pails	8½c
Compound, tierces	6½c
do tubs	6½c
do 50-lb cans	6½c
do 20-lb pails	6½c
do 10-lb pails	6½c
do 5-lb pails	6½c

Oleomargarine, Elgin	18c
do Ohio	16c
do Chicago	15c
do Imitation	13c
Process	14c
Canvassed	15c

FRUITS.

New apples, bu	75c@$1.00
do bbls, fancy	$2.00@2.50
do choice	$2.00@2.50
Lemons, choice	$4.00
do extra	$7.50@8.50
Oranges, late Valencias	$5.50@6.00
Cocoanuts, bags	$3.50@4.00
do doz	4@5c
Bananas, late	$1.50@2.00
do bbls	$1.00@1.50
Pineapples, Fla. smooth	$3.00
Cayennes	$2.50@4.00
Pears, 10-lb baskets	$1.40@
do 20-lb bskt	50@75c
do 10-lb bbl	20@25c

do ½ bu	75@85c
do Cal. box	$1.00@1.25
do Bartletts, bbls	$4.00@4.50
Limes, per 100	$3.00@4.50
Dates, stuffed	10c
Peaches, 10-lb bskt	75@$1.00
do bu	$1.25@1.50
Fancy, extra	$1.50@1.75
Plums, Cal, blue	$1.25@1.50
do 20 lbs	60@75c
do ½ bu	80@$1.00
do Damson, ½ bu	$1.00@1.25
Grapes, 4-lb basket	10@20c

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl	$16.50
do half bbl	$8.50
do quar. bbl	$4.25
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl	$20.00
do half bbls	$10.50
do quar. bbls	$5.25
do 20-lb pails	$2.40
do 10-lb pails	$1.25

Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl	$14.50
do half bbls	$8.00
do quar. bbls	$4.25
do 20-lb pails	$1.90
do 10-lb pails	$1.00
Mackerel, No. 3 do No. 2 Irish	
do 10-lb tubs	$5.00
Lake herring, 100 lbs	$3.00
do 50 lbs	$1.60
do 10 lbs	35c

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, car lots, fancy, bu	55@60c
Sweet potatoes, bbls	$3.25@3.50
do bu bskt	75c@$1.00
do Jersey fancy, bbl	$3.25@3.50
do sued, bbl	$2.00@2.25
do fancy, ½ bbl hamper	$1.25@1.50
Onions, bu	$1.15@1.25
do Spanish, crates	$1.15@1.25
Spring onions	15@20c
do yellow Danvers, bbls	$2.00@2.25
Silver Skins, bbls	$1.50@2.25
Cabbage, new, bbls	$1.50@1.75
Green peppers, bbl	$1.50@1.75
do bu	40@50c
Green beans, bu	50@75c
Wax beans, bu	75c@$1.00
Celery, kalamazoo	15@20c
do Ohio, large bunches	10@15c
do small bunches	15@20c

Egg plant, home grown, bu	75c@$1.00
Garlic, lb	10@12c
Watercress, doz	20@30c
Lettuce, field, doz	40@50c
Cauliflower, chips	75c@$1.00
Watermelons	30@40c
Cantaloupes, crates	$1.00@1.75
do Rocky Fords, standards	$1.00@1.25
do crates	$1.00@1.25
Carrots, bu	$1.00@1.25
Cucumbers, home grown, bu	75c@$1.00
Tomatoes, home raised, bu	30@35c
do chips	30@35c
Corn, home raised, bu	75@80c
New beets, doz	30@40c
Lima beans, 3-qt bskt	35@40c
do qts	12½@15c
Popcorn, lb	4@5c
Mint, doz	25@30c
Parsley, doz	15@20c

PROVISIONS.

Hams, Breakfast bacon,	
10 lbs and up	12c
Over 14 to 16 lbs	12½c
Over 16 to 18 lbs	12½c
20 lbs and under	12½c
Boneless boiled	15c
California	10c
Shoulders, N. Y. cut	9½c
do skinned	9c
Bacon, 8 to 10 lbs	12½c
do 10 to 12 lbs	12½c
do 12 to 14 lbs	12½c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs	12½c
do 10 to 12 lbs	12½c

Dried beef, ham	14c
do flat	12½c
Pickled pigs' feet, 100 lbs	$5.00
do 50 lbs	$2.75
do 25 lbs	$1.50
do 10 lbs	65c
Pickled hams	12½c
do bellies	12½c
Pickled shoulders	10c
Pickled tongues	$6.00
Lard, pure, tierces	8½c

do tubs	8½c
do 50-lb cans	8½c
do 20-lb pails	8½c
do 10-lb pails	8½c
do 5-lb pails	8½c
Compound, tierces	6½c
do tubs	6½c
do 50-lb cans	6½c
do 20-lb pails	6½c
do 10-lb pails	6½c
do 5-lb pails	6½c

Oleomargarine, Elgin	18c
do Ohio	16c
do Chicago	15c
do Imitation	13c
Process	14c
Canvassed	15c

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live chickens, old	14@15c
do springers	14@15c
do roosters	9@10c
do turkeys	16@17c
do geese	10@11c
do ducks	14@15c
do guineas, doz	$1.00@1.25
Dressed hens	17@18c
do springers	19@20c
do roosters	11@12c
do turkeys	22@23c
do Long Island ducklings	20c
do ducks	16@18c

do capons, lb	20@22c
Squab, doz	$1.50@2.00
do No. 2	$2.00@2.25
Ducks, ruddy	$1.25
do red head	$1.25@1.50
do canvas-back	$2.00
do black mallard	$1.50
English pheasants, per pair	$2.25
Reed birds, doz	$1.25
Quail, per lb	18@20c
Pigeons, pair	30@35c
Frogs, doz	$2.25@2.50

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.

Prints	25@26c
Tubs	23@24c
Ohio creams	24@25c
Dairy	14@17c
Cooking	11@12c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream, new	12@13c
do ½ cream, new	9@10c
do Ohio, new	12@13c
do Wis. Swiss tubs	13@14c

do block	25@26c
do imported	27@28c
do Limburger, new	15@16c
do ½-lb brick, new	15@16c
Eggs, selected	27@28c
do southern	25@26c
Gaisberg Pearl Prince	25c
Dairy butter, lb	18@20c
Eggs, doz	25@26c

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

Deadwood, S. D.—The Homestake Extension Company continues to make extensive improvements. Water pipes from the creek up the hill to the plant have just been installed. Necessary powder houses have been built and a clearing has been made upon which the company's office is about to be erected. The new tunnel is 275 feet long and had in solid ore when it without question the extension of the famous Caledonia vein which has been worked so long and profitably by the Homestake company. There seems to be no limit to the amount of this ore. It is free milling in character and averages over $3 a ton. The officers and many of the stockholders of the company have just completed a visit to the company's property.

News has been received at the office of the United Copper Company of a rich strike on two of the mines of the Lexington group near Butte, Montana, owned by the United Copper Company. The strike was made when a blast body ore was encountered on the 200-foot level, which runs 24 ounces in gold, 128 ounces in silver. The Lexington has been classed as a copper property, although F. A. Heinze has inclined for a long time it would eventually take high rank as a gold producer. The Lexington is in close proximity to the Corra mine, Heinze's. The Corra mine, it will be recalled, has the highest price of any ore in the district last week, which was $21. It was reported that the ore from the Mike, the Duck and Topo mines brought the same price. This price is an advance of $2 a ton over the price paid for the same grade of ore last week. The Corra shipments of the purchases during the week were made at about $2 a ton higher than last week, placing the assay basis at $20 to $25 a ton for 50 per cent ore.

Since Manager Donald R. Gillies took charge of Tonopah Extension the output of the mine has increased to about 1,000 tons a month. Large sums of money have been expended on surface improvements, including a cement mill tank of 25,000 gallons' capacity, and a large warehouse and two-story stone building for offices and residence. New and larger ore bins are also being added, by the substitution of crude ore for coal, a piece of coal a cubic foot in size, or part of a carload, has been worth $100 a ton, or $200 a ton, which is now shipping from 50 to 100 tons a day, is looking well, especially in the west drift on the 500-foot level, where stopes are being sunk on the ore. The sinking of the shaft from the 600-foot level is progressing rapidly, an underground hoist operated by compressed air being used, leaving the surface plant free for the handling of the upper levels during the greater part of the day.

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The London market was again higher, closing at £16 15s for spot and £16 17s 6d for futures. Locally the market was steady with spot quoted at 122 3000@123 and futures at 123 3000@123 5000, closing at £16 15s 6d for spot and £16 18s for futures. Locally the market was dull, with lake and electrolytic at 24@24 5s and casting at 23 50@23 75. Lead was unchanged at $4 80@4 90 in the local market, but easier at £13 17s 6d in London. Spelter was unchanged in both markets, closing at £22 in London and at $5 80@5 90 in the New York market. Iron was unchanged to a shade lower in the London market. Standard tumbler was quoted at 42s 6d and 2½ discounted at the close. Locally the situation was unchanged, pig iron being quoted as follows: No. 1 foundry northern, at $18 50@19 50; No. 2 foundry northern, at $18 00@18 50; No. 1 foundry southern at $18 00@18 50; No. 2 foundry southern at $17 50@18 00.

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

STOCKS	Open	High	Low	Close Bid	Close Ask
Allouez	22¾	23¾	22½	23	23¼
Adventure				7	8
Amalgamated	67¾	68¾	67¾	68¼	68½
Atlantic	25¾	25¾	25¼	25¼	25½
Bingham	47	47	46½	46½	47
Calumet & Hecla	645	645	645	645	650
Centennial	24¾	24¾	24¾	24	24½
Daly-West				20	21
Utah Mine				37½	38
Franklin				12	12½
Granby	75	75	75	75	77
Grand Central	12¾	12¾	12¾	12½	12¾
Isle Royale	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾	29
Mass				2	2½
Mohawk	58	58	57¾	57¾	58
Michigan	13	13

SAN PEDRO LINE OPENS NEW FIGHT

Four Roads Have Almost Equal Mileage in Route from Chicago to Los Angeles.

CONSIDERING FALL SCHEDULE

Beginning Friday the fight between the Chicago lines for Pacific coast business will be brought on again in a determined way by the opening of service on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road over the new "San Pedro line," the road of Senator Clarke that has been opened from Salt Lake to Los Angeles. The new line gives a shorter distance by the Ogden gateway by a distance of exactly 453 miles, and the roads that will use the route from Chicago will have their new tourist service shortened by this amount. The Chicago & Northwestern recently inaugurated service on the new route. The four principal routes between Chicago and Los Angeles and their respective mileages are:

	Miles.
Santa Fe	2,285
Rock Island, via El Paso	2,278
C. M. & St. P., via Salt Lake	2,399
C. & N. W., via Salt Lake	2,311

The former route used by the Chicago lines from Ogden to San Francisco and Los Angeles was 1,268 miles from Ogden to Los Angeles. The new route, from Ogden to Los Angeles, via Salt Lake, is 815 miles long, making use of 37 miles on the Rio Grande Western, and 778 miles on the San Pedro line.

There is no place in the country in which there is more fighting for business than on the the roads operating west of Chicago. This is particularly noticed in the Chicago-St. Paul business and in the Chicago-Pacific coast business. Up to the present time the Northwestern and Milwaukee roads have been the only ones to announce service over the San Pedro route, but it is not improbable that the Burlington, the Chicago & Alton and the Rock Island will take up the proposition. The Alton route would be via Kansas City and Ogden, the Burlington would be over its own line to Denver and thence over the Denver & Rio Grande system to Salt Lake, while the Rock Island would have to route over the Union Pacific from Omaha, as do the Northwestern and Milwaukee roads from Omaha to Ogden.

The Gould lines, including the Wabash and Missouri Pacific, will not likely make any provision for service over the San Pedro line, as the outlook for a still better service from Denver to the coast will be provided by the Western Pacific.

General Agent A. Q. Taliant of the Chicago & Northwestern line announces that there is good inquiry for routing over the new line. He also announces that new equipment is being delivered to the Northwestern daily for the Overland limited, one of the oldest and finest trains operating in the west. The best up-to-date equipment is being secured.

District Passenger Agent John R. Pott of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul says that inquiry for routing over the new line from this district to Chicago and thence over his road is better than was expected and that Pittsburghers will be carried on the new route almost daily from the time it is opened.

Taking Up Fall Schedule Study.

The division operating and passenger officials of the Pittsburgh roads are beginning to study out the things they want to have included in the fall schedules, which will become effective about November 15. The division officers of the Pittsburgh system of the Baltimore & Ohio have been asked to look up matters in connection with the fall changes and to report their recommendations in plenty of time for their consideration in a general meeting before the time cards are changed. One of the matters being considered is the night train from Pittsburgh to Kenova, which will probably be installed. There is a good demand for this service from Pittsburgh, while Wheeling and points in Northern West Virginia see in the train a new means of reaching the capital of the state without spending a couple of days for the trip. The fast freight schedule will be considered along with the passenger train schedule.

On the Pennsylvania system the changes are yet too indefinite for specification, although it is probable that the service from Pittsburgh to Erie and to Cleveland will be bettered, while there will be a quickening of time on trains of some of the other divisions. The Pennsylvania has had a number of time card changes this summer because of the Pennsylvania special being installed.

Well Known Erie Men Advance.

D. L. Wells, whose appointment as general agent of the Erie railroad in this district was announced in The Gazette yesterday, is well known to the traffic men and shippers of this district. Along with his promotion to the place vacated by J. B. Cochran, come promotions of several other well known Erie men, among them being C. B. Leach, who was for many years the Erie agent at Youngstown. He was made traveling passenger agent there less than a year ago, and now is advanced to city passenger agent at Cleveland, vice George E. Foote, who goes to Chicago in a similar capacity. Contracting Agent J. C. Flood is appointed commercial agent at Cleveland, vice Mr. Wells.

Mr. Wells arrived here yesterday morning to assume his new office. He was accompanied by General Freight Agent C. L. Thomas of the Ohio division and Chicago & Erie railroad. Mr. Cochran will engage in private business in Cleveland.

Chinese Passenger Agent Here.

Tie name is H. Sling. He is a Chinaman and he is also a passenger agent. Mr. Sling hails from Chicago, where he has charge of the Chinese bookings and those of other Oriental countries. His card shows his title as passenger agent, and on it are the following roads and steamship lines: Chicago & Northwestern, Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, Pacific Mail Steamship Company, Oriental & Occidental Steamship line and the Toyo Kisen Kaisha. On the card, which is similar to the cards of other passenger agents, appear the emblems or trade marks of the Northwestern, Union Pacific and Southern Pacific roads. Mr. Sling is spending a couple of days here acquainting himself with the Pittsburgh passenger men. He enjoyed a chat with Maj. Samuel J. Hutchinson of the Baltimore & Ohio, who is the recognized passenger man for Chinese in Pittsburgh.

No Passenger Cars to Be Ordered.

It is reported that the Pennsylvania railroad will not place an order this year for passenger equipment, but whether this means that no new passenger cars will be added to the lines east of Pittsburgh and Erie next year, is not known. It is stated reliably, however, that there will be no additions this year, and instead the company will rebuild many of the old coaches now in service. It is altogether probable that more cars will be added next year, as the road was often handicapped in passenger equipment being short in the enormous business handled this summer. No announcement has been made regarding new passenger equipment for the lines west, but it is improbable that any large number will be added, as the lines now have a good supply.

Eye Glasses in Railway Service.

The use of eye glasses in railway service and the efficiency of men requiring their use will be the principal subject of discussion at the sessions of the American Academy of Ophthalmology and Otolaryngology. The convention will begin in Buffalo tomorrow and will last three days. The above theme will be considered under the heading, "Advantages and Disadvantages of Glasses in Railway Service, with appended report of the opinion of ophthalmologists throughout the United States as to the safeness of an employe requiring their use." Invitations have been issued to numerous railroad officers to participate in the discussion.

Railroad Notes.

W. R. Perkins, who was formerly freight agent of the Wheeling & Lake Erie at Wheeling, but who was promoted recently to the Toledo office, is to become associated with the Pittsburgh office of the Wabash.

The train rules committee of the American Railway association will begin a three-day session here tomorrow.

Wabash officers in authority know nothing of property being bought or sold for the road in Allegheny.

Conductors W. S. Plummer and W. M. Binckley of the Pennsylvania's passenger list have returned with their wives from a vacation visit to Atlantic City and New York.

E. H. Utley, vice president and general manager of the Bessemer & Lake Erie, went to Chicago last night in his private car, over the Ft. Wayne route.

A site for the new passenger station at Oakmont has been given to that borough by M. S. Verner, with the provision that it be in turn given to the railroad company for the station property. It is said that the proposed buff brick station will be built soon at a cost of $25,000.

The Pennsylvania has a large force of men at work raising the West Penn division tracks between Parentum and Bouquet. As was noted in this column recently, the tracks will be raised about three feet to evade floods in the Allegheny river.

Clarke G. Cunningham, chief clerk of the Pennsylvania at Swissvale, left yesterday on his annual vacation tour of the lakes, expecting to spend a few days visiting friends at Duluth. He has had a busy summer season, but will return in the hope of more business for his company next year.

The Pennsylvania has started the erection of a telegraph and switch tower near the station in Hollidaysburg, and it is the intention to complete the plant before winter. This plant will interlock the switches, and is the first plant of its kind on the Petersburg cut-off.

An ordinance providing for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to pay Sharpsburg $1,900 instead of $10,800, as provided in the former ordinance, was presented in the borough council Monday night.

FULTON AGAIN FAILS TO APPEAR

Wife Identifies Him and Petition to Have Him Declared Dead Is Dismissed.

GRAVE-ROBBER IS CONVICTED

Although John Fulton of Paterson, N. J., failed to appear in orphans' court yesterday, there is now no doubt but that he is the husband of Mary Fulton of the Thirteenth ward, Pittsburgh, as she appeared and positively identified him. Mary Fulton had petitioned the court to declare him dead so that a $1,300 estate he inherited from his mother, Elizabeth Quinn, could be distributed among Mrs. Fulton and her children. The court made an order dismissing the petition of Mrs. Fulton at the cost of her husband, and directing that the lawyers' fee be taxed as costs against the estate. In her petition Mrs. Fulton alleged her husband left her 28 years ago, and she did not know anything about his whereabouts.

Mrs. Fulton asked the court to declare him dead, but a man appeared in court September 1 and declared he was John Fulton, husband of the woman, but had no one to identify him. Some days later he was to appear with witnesses. The witnesses were there, but he was not, so the court decided to give him until yesterday to come into court. He did not appear, and the court was convinced that he was the John Fulton he said he was and made the order dismissing the petition to have him declared dead.

Christian F. Bauen, tried for breaking into a cemetery vault in the chapel of St. Mary's cemetery, Allegheny, was found guilty in criminal court on a charge of larceny and one of desecrating a sepulcher.

Harry Gilmore entered a plea of guilty to larceny and was sentenced to serve six months in the workhouse. Gilmore held up an old man in front of the Ross street entrance to the jail and robbed him of $12.

John Boyce was acquitted of burglary.

William Jones, a negro, was sentenced seven years to the penitentiary on a charge of robbery. He assaulted and robbed J. R. Hice, a Philadelphia traveling man, on Washington street of $128 and a $300 diamond stud. Jones was arrested in Chicago about two weeks after the robbery.

Other cases disposed of were: John Jewett, assault and battery, 30 days; John Washington, larceny and assault and battery, five days; Katie Eubas, misdemeanor, one day; Conrad Guyer, larceny, 20 days; Georgiana Clark, larceny, 15 days.

Frank C. Smith has been sued for damages by Louis H. Wenrick, who says he cannot estimate the amount, but thinks it will exceed $5,000. The suit is based on a letter which Wenrick says Smith wrote to him, showing it to H. F. Texter and others before delivering it. Wenrich is a butcher doing business in Wilkinsburg.

The letter opens with a statement of an intention to give the sentiments of the writer about the events of the last two and a half years and the last three days. From the letter the inference is gained that the writer started Wenrich in business and was dissatisfied with his course.

By the first and partial account of the estate of Jane H. Reamer a balance of $19,428 60 is shown.

A foreign attachment was issued by the Oil Well Supply Company against the Belgo American Drilling Trust and J. H. Lobell. The Pennsylvania Oil and Gas Company and the Oil Well Supply Company are summoned as garnishees. Bail in $22,000 is demanded.

Journeymen Horseshoers' Local union No. 212 of McKeesport has filed its answer to the equity suit of the McKeesport & Youghiogheny Ice Company. The ice company alleged the union persuaded William Hughes, its horseshoer, to leave its employment, but this is denied by the horseshoers' union.

Executions issued: James & Cain vs. N. Landansky et al., $157; D. L. Patterson vs. Susie I. Learn, $1,813; I. Leonard Aronson vs. Clara J. Davis, $779; A. E. Gregg, use, vs. Richard Cummings, $571; E. E. Patterson et al., trustees, vs. Eugene McLaughlin et al., $1,065.

John F. Kramer and his minor son, William, sued the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad for $50,000 for the loss of a foot of the son. Young Kramer's foot was caught in a switch while crossing the company's tracks at Rankin. While thus pinioned he was run down by a train.

ALDERMEN INDICTED.

Grand Jury Finds True Bill Against I. A. Levy and B. C. Barton.

The grand jury returned true bills against Alderman Isaac A. Levy of the Eighth ward, Louis Harrie, his constable, and Joseph Abraham, alias Joseph Miller, the indictment charging them with extorting money from Laura Woods, keeper of a disorderly house on Third avenue. True bills charging the same offense were also returned against ex-Alderman Benjamin C. Barton of the Seventh ward, Peter Auslander, his constable, L. E. Arronson, his clerk, H. J. Skidmore, William Fitzsimmons, Charles Kerner and Joseph Schwartz. It is alleged in both cases the aldermen, together with the other defendants, conspired to extort money from the Woods woman by having an information made against her charging her with illegal liquor selling, and then settling the case for a certain sum. The bills were ignored by the June grand jury, but were sent back by order of the district attorney.

Other true bills were: Robbery, John Meehan, William Roger; burglary, Blaine Confer, John Torrance, two; felony, David Dickson; larceny, George Felder, John Horn, Howard Hall, et al., Monroe Heinzy, Okra Halsa, Henry Miller; receiving stolen goods, Peter Casper; assault and battery, C. A. Berger, entering a building, C. P. Miller, et al.; misdemeanor, Lord Dixon, Ben Rosen; aggravated assault, Edward Burdette, Arthur Griffin.

MAY GET EQUAL SHARE.

Wife and Daughter of Jacob S. Reymer May Divide With Son and Brother.

Samuel S. Reymer, who has been here to arrange for a settlement of his father's estate, it is now said, will get about 15 times as much as Jacob S. Reymer, who was displeased with his marriage, left him. Samuel, the only son, was cut off with only the interest on $20,000 for life. It is now claimed, his mother and sister have privately agreed to divide the estate and there will be no contest. Reymer denied he had any intention of contesting.

Jacob S. Reymer, it is estimated, left close to $600,000. If the mother and sister agree to divide, Samuel will get about $200,000. Attorney Leander Trautman and officials of the Commonwealth Trust Company, the executors of the estate, refuse to talk, claiming anything of that kind would be an entirely private affair and they could not discuss it.

LARGE COAL LAND DEAL.

West Virginia Company Files Charter With a Very Large Capital.

Valuable Property.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Sept. 12.—Special.)—A coal land deal of unusual importance became known here today by the filing of the charter of the Crab Orchard Improvement Company, with a capital stock of $1,000,000, of which C. J. Wittenber of New York is president. This company takes over the property of the Crab Orchard Land Company, which has been controlled by the local capital for many years, and which is in the heart of the New river coal basin.

This land, which contains over 10,000 acres of New river coal, has been watched with considerable interest of late on account of its being traversed by the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad, and the new Tidewater railroad, and unusual efforts have been made by both roads to control the tonnage.

Ayer's Pills

Get up with a headache? Bad taste in your mouth? Not much appetite for breakfast? Then you have too much bile in your system. Wake up your liver! Get rid of this bile! J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

Increase of 3 Cents a Barrel Will Encourage the Operators

When the purchasing agency opened for business yesterday morning new quotations for credit balances were posted. The credit balance market for crude of the Pennsylvania grade was advanced from $1.27 to $1.30, and North Lima and South Lima and Indiana were each advanced 2 cents, making the new quotations 83c and 85c, respectively. The advance at this time did not come as a surprise, for the reason that the quantity of high-grade crude produced has for some months been far below the consumption. Last month the Pennsylvania stocks were reduced more than 800,000 barrels and the indications are that they will suffer a greater reduction during the current month. The decline in Pennsylvania and Lima stocks has been almost continuous since the first of the year. The reduction in stocks of both fields since the first of the year or at the close of August amounted to almost 2,500,000 barrels, leaving the net stocks at less than 13,000,000 barrels. In Kansas and the two territories just the reverse has been the result of development work. The stocks have been piling up and at the close of August exceeded 9,000,000 barrels. With a continuance of the present activity in the western fields there will be a continuous increase in the stocks. The present advance in the market will have an encouraging effect on development work in the eastern fields. The single advance will not bring the increase, but the hope and confidence that the market will continue to advance will stimulate new work in old territory. The most noticeable advancement in development work will likely be in the shallow sand districts. The deep territory cannot be operated at a profit under a much higher market than the present quotation. At this time of the year there is not likely to be a falling off in the demand. With winter approaching the consumption must increase, and if the territory was available no amount of active development work could increase the production to a point that would leave the stocks unimpaired.

In the lower southwest fields the Yellow Creek district, Colhoun county, is furnishing a greater number of completions than any other section of the lower fields. In this district the Ann Oil Company has drilled its No. 2 on the David Matthews farm through the Berea grit and has a show for a natural producer, good for 50 barrels a day. The Carter Oil Company has drilled its No. 5 on the L. G. Fluharty farm through the Berea grit and has a show for a 75-barrel producer. The same company has drilled its test on the M. A. Wilson farm through the Maxon sand and has developed a gasser in that formation. It will not be drilled deeper at present. The well has been tubed and the gas will be used for fuel in the field. In the same district the Aleco Oil and Gas Company has drilled its No. 5 on the Michael Knight farm through the Berea grit and has a producer good for 25 barrels a day.

On Rowells run, Lee district, in the same county, the Carbon company has drilled its test on the Peter Hicks farm through the sand and has a duster. North of Cairo, Ritchie county, the Stewart United Oil Company's No. 12 on the Kennedy Oil Company's farm has declined to 100 barrels a day.

In the Salem district, Harrison county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 4 on the Rachel Carpenter farm through the Gordon and the hole has filled up 1,200 feet with fluid. It will be given a shot. In the Wallace district, the same company's No. 2 on the D. S. Barker and No. 29 on the Genine Robinson tract are producing 70 and 65 barrels a day, respectively. In the Smithfield district, Wetzel county, the South Penn has drilled its second test on the A. A. Merrifield farm 97 feet into the Big Injun formation and has a very light show of oil. In the same district, the same company has drilled its test on the Lindsay Stewart farm 24 feet into the stray sand and has found no oil or gas.

In Grant district, Wetzel county, the Parker & Edwards Oil Company has drilled its test on the D. B. Fisher farm, located on Fallen Timber run, into the Big Injun pay, and the well produced 50 barrels the first 24 hours. It is still drilling.

On the Ohio side, in the Payne district, Washington county, the J. B. Braden Oil Company has drilled its test on the E. Crighton farm through the salt sand and has a show for a light pumper. In the same district, Bartmus & Decker have drilled their test on the J. M. Rake farm through the Berea grit and have a duster. In the Beaswood district, Monroe county, the Fisher Oil Company's No. 2 on the John Duffy farm is producing 50 barrels a day from the Berea grit.

In the Bristoria district, Greene county, Pa., the South Penn has completed its No. 3 on the Thomas Heiberman farm and has a 15-barrel pumper. In the same district, John L. Dunn & Co. have completed No. 4 on the Ullom heirs' farm and have the same kind of a pumper.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
September 11	78,346	September 10	14,413
Previously	839,276	Previously	548,745
Total	911,609	Total	563,163
Daily average	82,865	Daily average	56,316

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
September 11	68,264	September 10	1,983
Previously	554,061	Previously	394,306
Total	622,325	Total	396,289
Daily average	56,575	Daily average	39,628

The Oil Market.

The following are the prices for the different fields: Pennsylvania, $1.30; Tioga, $1.45; Second Sand, $1.30; Corning, 97c; New Castle, $1.22; Cabell, $1.05; North Lima, 88c; South Lima, 83c; Indiana, 82c; Somerset, 97c; Ragland, 95c; Canada, $1.28. The Producers and Refiners Company also quotes $1.29 for Pennsylvania crude oil.

LIMA, O., Sept. 12.—After months of waiting and almost total stagnation in the central western oil fields, the first change in crude prices since May 27 was announced today by the Standard, the advance being two cents for Ohio and Indiana, and three cents a barrel for eastern oils. Kansas and the twin territories are not benefited. Producers say the advance means renewed operations and employment of hundreds of men in the central states.

OIL CITY, Sept. 12.—Credit balances, $1.30; certificates, no bid. Shipments, 78,244; average, 82,865; runs, 14,413, average, 56,316. Shipments, Lima, 68,264; average, 56,575; runs, 1,985; average, 39,628.

INDEPENDENCE, KAN., Sept. 12.—The price of all western oils under 32 gravity was advanced today from one to five cents a barrel. This is the first advance in the price of oil in this district since December, 1903, when $1.38 was the highest price reached. The price now ranges from 50 cents for 21 gravity, to 30 cents for fuel oil.

TOLEDO, Sept. 12.—Oil: North Lima, 88c; South Lima and Indiana, 83c.

NEW YORK CITIZEN DECORATED BY CZAR

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Charles J. Murphy, formerly a foreign agent of the United States department of agriculture, yesterday received from Emperor Nicholas of Russia the decoration of the Order of St. Stanislaus, conferred in recognition of his services in behalf of Russian peasants during the famine of 1891, when foreign agent at Berlin.

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$38.50 and $39.50 to Salt Lake City, Ogden, Butte, Helena, Anaconda, Missoula and other points in Utah and Montana.

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Hall Glass and Seat, W'thd Oak	$125.00	Sale Price	$ 95.00
Hall Rack, Fleming	75.00	Sale Price	60.00
Hall Rack, Weathered Oak	65.00	Sale Price	45.00
Hall Rack, Golden Oak	58.00	Sale Price	45.00
Hall Rack, Golden Oak	40.00	Sale Price	30.00
Hall Rack, Golden Oak	33.00	Sale Price	25.00
Hall Rack, Weathered Oak	12.00	Sale Price	9.00
Hall Glass, Weathered Oak	14.00	Sale Price	10.00
Hall Glass, Golden Oak	12.00	Sale Price	8.00
Hall Chair, Weathered Oak	22.00	Sale Price	15.00
Hall Chair, Golden Oak	15.00	Sale Price	10.00
Hall Chair, Golden Oak	9.00	Sale Price	6.00

DESKS AND CABINETS

Desk, Mahogany	$ 85.00	Sale Price	$ 60.00
Desk, Mahogany	60.00	Sale Price	40.00
Desk, Mahogany	45.00	Sale Price	30.00
Desk, Golden Oak	40.00	Sale Price	30.00
Desk, Weathered Oak	35.00	Sale Price	25.00
Desk, Golden Oak	35.00	Sale Price	25.00
Desk, Weathered Oak	28.00	Sale Price	20.00
Desk, Mahogany	22.00	Sale Price	16.00
Desk, Weathered Oak	8.50	Sale Price	5.50
Music Cabinet, Mahogany	32.00	Sale Price	24.00
Music Cabinet, Mahogany	22.00	Sale Price	15.00
Music Cabinet, Gold	25.00	Sale Price	12.00
Music Cabinet, Mahogany	15.00	Sale Price	11.00

BEDROOM FURNITURE

Suite, Mahogany	$288.00	Sale Price	$175.00
Suite, Mahogany	165.00	Sale Price	135.00
Suite, Mahogany	175.00	Sale Price	125.00
Suite, Golden Oak	150.00	Sale Price	110.00
Suite, Mahogany	115.00	Sale Price	90.00
Suite, Golden Oak	100.00	Sale Price	80.00
Suite, Mahogany	85.00	Sale Price	60.00
Suite, Golden Oak	77.00	Sale Price	60.00
Suite, Golden Oak	55.00	Sale Price	45.00
Suite, Golden Oak	44.00	Sale Price	32.00
Suite, Mahogany	40.00	Sale Price	30.00
Dresser, Mahogany	150.00	Sale Price	115.00
Dresser, Mahogany	110.00	Sale Price	85.00
Dresser, Mahogany	88.00	Sale Price	65.00
Dresser, Walnut	76.00	Sale Price	55.00
Dresser, Mahogany	56.00	Sale Price	45.00
Dresser, Mahogany	44.00	Sale Price	35.00
Dresser, Mahogany	45.00	Sale Price	32.00
Dresser, Mahogany	33.00	Sale Price	25.00
Dresser, Mahogany	25.00	Sale Price	19.00
Dresser, Birdseye Maple	88.00	Sale Price	70.00
Dresser, Birdseye Maple	44.00	Sale Price	34.00
Dresser, Golden Oak	56.00	Sale Price	50.00
Dresser, Golden Oak	44.00	Sale Price	32.00
Dresser, Golden Oak	33.00	Sale Price	25.00
Dresser, Golden Oak	24.00	Sale Price	19.00
Chiffonier, Mahogany	88.00	Sale Price	65.00
Chiffonier, Mahogany	75.00	Sale Price	60.00
Chiffonier, Mahogany	48.00	Sale Price	35.00
Chiffonier, Mahogany	37.00	Sale Price	25.00
Chiffonier, Mahogany	28.00	Sale Price	20.00
Chiffonier, Mahogany	25.00	Sale Price	18.00
Chiffonier, Golden Oak	55.00	Sale Price	38.00
Chiffonier, Golden Oak	48.00	Sale Price	36.00
Chiffonier, Birdseye Maple	44.00	Sale Price	34.00
Chiffonier, Golden Oak	33.00	Sale Price	26.00
Chiffonier, Birdseye Maple	33.00	Sale Price	25.00
Chiffonier, Golden Oak	25.00	Sale Price	18.00
Dressing Table, Mahogany	45.00	Sale Price	32.00
Dressing Table, Mahogany	32.00	Sale Price	24.00
Dressing Table, Mahogany	28.00	Sale Price	18.00
Dressing Table, Mahogany	22.00	Sale Price	15.00
Dressing Table, Birdseye Maple	30.00	Sale Price	20.00
Dressing Table, Birdseye Maple	24.00	Sale Price	16.00
Dressing Table, Birdseye Maple	15.00	Sale Price	10.00
Dressing Table, Golden Oak	20.00	Sale Price	14.00

PARLOR FURNITURE

Suite, Mahogany, three piece	$220.00	Sale Price	$175.00
Suite, Mahogany, three piece	125.00	Sale Price	85.00
Suite, Mahogany, three piece	110.00	Sale Price	75.00
Suite, Mahogany, three piece	95.00	Sale Price	70.00
Suite, Mahogany, three piece	87.00	Sale Price	60.00
Suite, Mahogany, three piece	65.00	Sale Price	50.00
Suite, Mahogany, three piece	60.00	Sale Price	45.00
Odd Chair, Mahogany	36.00	Sale Price	25.00
Odd Chair, Mahogany	30.00	Sale Price	20.00
Odd Chair, Mahogany	25.00	Sale Price	15.00
Odd Chair, Mahogany	24.00	Sale Price	14.00
Odd Chair, Mahogany	17.00	Sale Price	9.50
Odd Chair, Mahogany	12.50	Sale Price	7.00

LIBRARY FURNITURE

Bookcase, Mahogany	$ 80.00	Sale Price	$ 60.00
Bookcase, Mahogany	75.00	Sale Price	55.00
Bookcase, Mahogany	66.00	Sale Price	50.00
Bookcase, Mahogany	54.00	Sale Price	40.00
Bookcase, Golden Oak	55.00	Sale Price	35.00
Bookcase, Mahogany	45.00	Sale Price	32.00
Bookcase, Golden Oak	33.00	Sale Price	25.00
Bookcase, Weathered Oak	28.00	Sale Price	22.00
Bookcase, Golden Oak	20.00	Sale Price	15.00
Davenport, Mahogany	110.00	Sale Price	85.00
Davenport, Mahogany	87.00	Sale Price	60.00
Davenport, Golden Oak	70.00	Sale Price	58.00
Davenport, Mahogany	85.00	Sale Price	60.00
Davenport, Golden Oak	60.00	Sale Price	46.00
Davenport, Mahogany	45.00	Sale Price	35.00
Davenport, Golden Oak	35.00	Sale Price	25.00
Library Table, Mahogany	68.00	Sale Price	55.00
Library Table, Mahogany	43.00	Sale Price	34.00
Library Table, Golden Oak	40.00	Sale Price	30.00
Library Table, Mahogany	33.00	Sale Price	25.00
Library Table, Weathered Oak	23.00	Sale Price	18.00
Library Table, Golden Oak	32.00	Sale Price	15.00
Library Table, Weathered Oak	18.00	Sale Price	12.50
Library Table, Weathered Oak	10.00	Sale Price	7.50
Leather Rocker, Mahogany	43.00	Sale Price	35.00
Leather Chair, Golden Oak	38.00	Sale Price	30.00
Leather Chair, Golden Oak	22.00	Sale Price	16.00

DEN FURNITURE

Arm Chair, Weathered Oak	$ 42.00	Sale Price	$ 28.00
Arm Chair, Weathered Oak	33.00	Sale Price	25.00
Arm Chair, Weathered Oak	26.00	Sale Price	18.00
Divan, Weathered Oak	28.00	Sale Price	20.00
Divan, Weathered Oak	25.00	Sale Price	18.00
Arm Chair, Weathered Oak	22.00	Sale Price	15.00
Rocker, Weathered Oak	18.00	Sale Price	13.50
Arm Chair, Weathered Oak	16.00	Sale Price	12.00
Rocker, Weathered Oak	14.00	Sale Price	10.00
Rocker, Weathered Oak	10.00	Sale Price	7.50

BRASS BEDS

Brass Bed	$ 90.00	Sale Price	$ 70.00
Brass Bed	70.00	Sale Price	50.00
Brass Bed	60.00	Sale Price	45.00
Brass Bed	48.00	Sale Price	38.00
Brass Bed	44.00	Sale Price	35.00
Brass Bed	40.00	Sale Price	30.00
Brass Bed	30.00	Sale Price	25.00
Brass Bed	25.00	Sale Price	19.00

IRON BEDS

Iron Bed	$ 22.00	Sale Price	$ 17.00
Iron Bed	18.00	Sale Price	12.00
Iron Bed	16.00	Sale Price	10.00
Iron Bed	12.00	Sale Price	8.00
Iron Bed	10.00	Sale Price	7.00

DINING-ROOM FURNITURE

Sideboard, Antwerp	$175.00	Sale Price	$140.00
Sideboard, Golden Oak	165.00	Sale Price	130.00
Sideboard, Weathered Oak	120.00	Sale Price	98.00
Sideboard, Mahogany	95.00	Sale Price	70.00
Sideboard, Golden Oak	65.00	Sale Price	40.00
Sideboard, Golden Oak	80.00	Sale Price	50.00
Sideboard, Golden Oak	60.00	Sale Price	38.00
Sideboard, Golden Oak	32.50	Sale Price	24.00
Buffet, Golden Oak	87.00	Sale Price	70.00
Buffet, Golden Oak	65.00	Sale Price	50.00
Buffet, Golden Oak	60.00	Sale Price	40.00
Buffet, Antwerp	50.00	Sale Price	38.00
Buffet, Weathered Oak	33.00	Sale Price	25.00
Buffet, Antwerp	28.00	Sale Price	20.00
China Closet, Mahogany	110.00	Sale Price	90.00
China Closet, Golden Oak	65.00	Sale Price	45.00
China Closet, Mahogany	63.00	Sale Price	45.00
China Closet, Golden Oak	55.00	Sale Price	40.00
China Closet, Golden Oak	44.00	Sale Price	32.00
China Closet, Weathered Oak	37.00	Sale Price	30.00
China Closet, Golden Oak	33.00	Sale Price	25.00
China Closet, Antwerp	32.00	Sale Price	24.00
China Closet, Golden Oak	22.00	Sale Price	16.00
Extension Table, Mahogany	110.00	Sale Price	85.00
Extension Table, Golden Oak	98.00	Sale Price	80.00
Extension Table, Weath'd Oak	48.00	Sale Price	38.00
Extension Table, Golden Oak	48.00	Sale Price	37.00
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